

PROTECTION IS BADLY NEEDED

Macedonian Christians are Said to Be in Need of Protection from European Powers.

NOW CALLS FOR AID

Greek Ministry Calls for Aid Like that Given to the Cretans.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Athens, Dec. 1.—Official documents have been sent out by the Greek ministry to all the European powers asking for their interference to end the cruelties practiced by Turkey on the Macedonian peasants.

Wants Autonomy
It is asked that Turkey be compelled to grant the Macedonians autonomy the same as has been granted to Crete and that the present bad treatment be stopped at once by an armed force if necessary.

Conditions Shocking
The condition of the Christians in Macedonia is most shocking and in the opinion of those acquainted with the conditions intervention is almost a necessity.

DO NOT FAVOR TRIP TO COAST

Wisconsin Players Allowed to Decide Question May Not Go to California.

(Special To The Gazette.) Madison, Wis., Dec. 1.—With the defeat of the Wisconsin team by Chicago the question as to whether or not the team will make the trip to the Pacific coast is uncertain, and unless the men on the team desire to make the trip, the plan will probably be abandoned by the management.

All the official arrangements necessary for the games on the coast were completed when the consent of the conference colleges was given at the meeting held Friday, and the matter now rests with the men who would have to train for the games. Had the team defeated Chicago, the sentiment would probably have been favorable, but the general opinion now seems to be that the men will not care to go.

Prof. Schleicher said tonight, as far as the university faculty was concerned, the men could go, and that the matter now rested with the team. Only a few of the players have returned to Madison, and the sentiment among those who are here is not favorable, as they do not seem to feel the team is representative of midwestern football this year.

Old Bureau Used.

The newest bureau is a reproduction of the high, awkward affair before which most persons at one time or another have essayed, during a farmhouse visit, to make their toilet. There is the self-same swinging glass of inadequate proportions and the narrow table cluttered with little drawers. The knobs, of course, are glass.

Status of Victoria.

English sculptors, according to report, are being kept busy at present executing statues and portraits of their late queen, which are now in great demand in all the British provinces. Williamson of Essex is at work upon no less than three colossal bronze Victorias which have been ordered for the northwestern provinces of India.

Threaten to Employ Chinese.

The mining operators of South Africa are beginning to announce that in case the African continent was unable to supply cheap labor, upon which the gold industry depends, they must look abroad, unmindful of the protests founded on mere sentiment antagonistic to Asiatics. In other words, they will employ Chinese.

Dr. Brady's Health Restored.

Forced to abandon all literary work during the summer because of continued illness, Dr. Cyrus Townsend Brady, the author, has undergone an operation at his home in New York. The surgeons did not disclose the nature of the operation, but announced that it was a complete success.

What He Wanted to Know.

In his "Bath Comedy" Castle should have worked in the incident that happened in Bath in the days of Mrs. B. On one occasion, when she had hushed the audience to absolute stillness by her matchless acting, a German in the pit started up and cried out fiercely: "Mein Gott, who was dot split in mein eye!"

Largest Type of Butterfly.

The largest butterflies are the "bird-winged" of the Moluccas. Their wings are sometimes twelve inches in expanse.

Cost of Maintaining Convicts.

There are about 15,000 convicts in the prisons of England, whose maintenance costs about \$3,000,000 a year.

ENGLAND AFTER THE BOERS GOLD

Wants the \$650,000 that Dr. Leyds Has in Hiding. (Special By Scripps-McLae.)

Berlin, Dec. 1.—The British government is telegraphing to all the German ports making inquiries concerning Boer gold bars worth \$650,000 which, it is supposed, have been brought to this country from South Africa within the last fortnight. The bars are destined for former President Kruger and Dr. Leyds, and it is presumed had been concealed in the northern Transvaal. Great Britain will endeavor to legally attach the gold if it can be located on the ground that she is entitled to all the assets of the Transvaal because she has assumed responsibility for the debts of that country, including the bonds issued prior to the war.

General Botha's reply to colonial Secretary Chamberlain that the late Boer government had no assets was strictly true as far as he knew, but since receiving Mr. Chamberlain's letter General Botha learned, according to seemingly trustworthy information here, that Mr. Kruger and Dr. Leyds have in their possession \$2,500,000. General Botha requested them to turn over this money for the benefit of the Boer people, but Dr. Leyds refused averring that the money was to be used in upholding the Boer nationality in the future.

General Botha has notified Dr. Leyds that unless the gold is given up that legal proceedings will be brought against him.

STATE NOTES

At Unity there was a snow fall on Saturday of six inches and more. The seventeenth annual closing farmers' institute will be held in Marshfield in March.

A free public night school will be opened in connection with the Marsa field schools.

The new Methodist church in Green Bay was dedicated with appropriate services yesterday.

A number of Green Bay and Seymour capitalists will open a bank at Seymour, capitalized at \$25,000. An old horse at La Crosse which had been in the habit of going to the river to drink, leaped into deep water and was drowned.

Miss Angie Beach, a teacher in the Prairie du Chien schools, was convicted of assault and battery on one of her pupils whom she punished severely. The full program has been completed for the annual meeting of Wisconsin teachers which will be held in Milwaukee immediately after Christmas.

Isaac Strang of Hurley, on trial for the murder of Peter Caske, was found guilty of manslaughter and sentenced to seven years imprisonment in the state prison.

One hundred and sixty invitations have been sent out for the December meeting of the Waukesha Six-to-Ten club, at which a program on industries will be given.

A reunion of the Thirty-second Wisconsin regiment has been decided upon to take place in Marinette some in June or July. A large part of the program has already been decided upon.

Through a stroke of good fortune, C. A. Anderson, of Kenosha, was presented with property which, since the discovery of large deposits of lithographers stone is said to be worth two millions.

Yesterday afternoon a meeting was held at Oshkosh of the officers and directors of the Wisconsin State Poultry association. Arrangements were made for the annual poultry show to be held in that city in January.

Neneah lawyers believe that the letter mailed in Minneapolis from the missing Miss Koelach does not prove that she is in that city, but that it is merely a ruse to distract their attention.

The Champion division of the International Harvester company will be moved from Escanaba to Green Bay. Before long the new \$150,000 agricultural college building at Madison will be completed.

A large deer addressed to Mrs. William McKinley at Canton, O., passed through Milwaukee by express. It was a magnificent buck killed by a party of Canton sportsmen who are now hunting in the northern part of the state.

In the deer season now closed the total casualties have been less than half those of 1901. Ten of the sportsmen were killed and sixteen wounded. The year before there were seventeen killed and thirty-three seriously wounded.

Largely attended funeral services were held at Watertown over the remains of William Reul, who was murdered at Milwaukee. The services were conducted in both English and German, the pastor paying eloquent tribute to the character of the young man.

Gilt-Edged.

The most costly office doors in the world are swinging between a hall and a stock commission and broker's room in a new skyscraper in Broadway, a little below Wall street. They look like solid gold. Wonder if the stocks dealt in are as gilt-edged?

Moonshine Whisky Makes Trouble.

Benjamin F. Perry, son of a former governor of South Carolina, has been sent to jail in Columbia, that state, charged with selling moonshine whisky. He will be tried at the next term of court in Richland county. Perry's brother was a congressman from a mountain district of South Carolina a dozen years ago.

TURKS DEFEAT MACEDONIANS

Turkish Forces Have Greater Losses But Gain Victory from Defeated Host.

CONFUSED FLIGHT

Furious Battle Is Held at Plania Between Rival Forces With Turks Great Losses.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Vienna, Dec. 1.—One of the fiercest and most bloody battles of the Turkish-Macedonian rebellion is reported to have been fought at Plania on Sunday and meager reports are being brought into the city by couriers who have arrived at the telegraph stations from the battlefield.

Loss Is Heavy
The loss on both sides is reported as very heavy the Macedonians losing three hundred and two killed and one hundred and forty-three wounded while the Turks lost two hundred killed and six hundred wounded.

Turkish Victory
While the Turks were the heaviest losers the Macedonians fled in disorder and left their dead and wounded on the field. The Turks were too crippled to follow with much speed and are at present recuperating.

COOPER'S ELECTION WAS VERY CHEAP

First District Congressman Only Spent \$647 to Secure His Election.

(Special To The Gazette.) Madison, Wis., Dec. 1.—Congressman H. A. Cooper spent only \$647 in securing re-election according to his statement filed with the Secretary of State Congressman Babcock's expenditure was \$1,754 and Congressman Minor's \$1,422.

MITCHELL TO REPORT ON MINERS' STRIKE

Executive Committee to Be Informed of All Details in Connection With the Struggle.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 1.—The reception committee on the John Mitchell meeting have held a session. President Feltman has announced definitely that Mitchell will be here Dec. 15. The executive committee of the United Mine Workers will meet on Dec. 19, at which time the president will make reports on all business that has been transacted since the beginning of the great strike. Secretary Wilson is preparing the call for the annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America, which will assemble in this city on Jan. 19 next. The call will be printed at once in the Mine Workers' Journal and the individual notices to each local will be sent out in a few days. The basis of representation is the same as has been followed in the past, and this means that there will be in the neighborhood of 1,000 delegates, with a voting strength of about 1,700. The officers will make full reports to the men as to the inside workings of the great strike in the anthracite field.

GIFT OF FRANCE FOR DETROIT

Painting Historic of the Founding of the City Is Received.

Detroit, Dec. 1.—A painting presented by the French government to the City of Detroit, representing King Louis XIV, presenting to Cadillac the letters patent for the foundation of this city, has arrived at the city hall. The presentation was made some time ago through M. Jules Cambon, the former French ambassador to the United States.

Jealousy and Murder.

Wardner, Idaho, Dec. 1.—Incensed by jealousy, Arthur Goode, a gambler, fired five shots into Mrs. James Aubrey. The woman died a few minutes later. He then attempted to kill the woman's husband, but the latter overpowered him.

For Killing Sweetheart.

Hillsboro, Ill., Dec. 1.—The trial of Fred Brockman for the murder of his sweetheart, Gertrude Clifford, was concluded. The jury returned a verdict of guilty and he was sentenced to the Chester penitentiary for thirty years.

Gems Disappear.

Hammond, Ind., Dec. 1.—Thieves entered the sleeping apartment of Miss Deetta Curry of Homewood during a reception and carried away her jewel box containing valuable diamond solitaires and several other gems.

Hospital to Get \$50,000.

South Bend, Ind., Dec. 1.—On the anniversary of Clem Studebaker's burial his family presented to the Epworth hospital directors over \$50,000, to pay in full for a \$75,000 hospital building recently completed.

DEWET ATTACKS BOERS OR BRITISH

Burgher General In His Book Denounces His Own Troops For Treachery.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) London, Dec. 1.—"Had not so many of our burghers proved false to their own colors, England, as the great Bismarck foretold, would have found her grave in South Africa."

That is the keynote of the Boer General De Wet's book entitled "Three Years' War," and dedicated by the Boer general "To my fellow subjects of the British empire."

It is, perhaps, the most remarkable book by the most remarkable leader that any recent war has produced. The concise, simply told tale of the extraordinary campaign is marked throughout with the stamp of truth. The baldness of the narrative only serves to bring into relief the fiery passages in which a strong man literally blurs out his soul in pathetic regret or bitter denunciation.

In thus taking the public into his confidence De Wet loses nothing of the glamor with which his exploits in the field surround him. In criticizing his own army he is not less candid than he spares no one; Boer and Briton come equally under the lash.

De Wet declares that whatever the English people may have to say in discredit of General Buller, he had to operate against stronger positions than any other British general.

Throughout the work the Boer general has but slight praise for Lord Roberts and little more for Lord Kitchener. General Knox is almost the only British general who seems to have struck De Wet as a commander with real military genius.

Of "Tommy Atkins" he has many kindly words to say and declares "the British were far from being bad shots."

MARCHED ACROSS MINDANAO ISLAND

American Soldiers Probably the First White Men to Make the Journey.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Manila, Dec. 1.—Captain Pershing, with sixty men, has completed a march across the island of Mindanao from Camp Vicars to Iligan. This is possibly the first time that white men have made the journey. Captain Pershing visited the villages of Madaya and Marahul. On his way to Madaya he found the Moros were surprised to learn that Americans were not monsters ten feet tall, with horns and tails. At Marahul he addressed 500 Moros, telling them of the friendly purpose of the Americans. Representatives of the Nato and Bocabayan tribes, which are now at war, asked Captain Pershing to arbitrate the difference between them. The captain agreed to visit them and give his arbitration on his return journey to Camp Vicars. No hostility was shown toward the column on the march.

The constabulary in the Zamboanga province reports a repulsive incident of cruelty perpetrated by Ladrones. Several columns of constabulary had been chasing the Ladrones with the assistance of the friendly natives. Five of the friendlies straggled from the column and were captured by Ladrones, who amputated the tongue and gouged out the eyes of one friendly and then sent him back to the constabulary. The fate of the other friendlies is unknown.

General Miles visited and inspected Subig Bay yesterday. He will possibly abandon his projected coast trip and proceed direct to Hongkong and Shanghai.

Sentence for Train Robber.

Knoxville, Tenn., Dec. 1.—Harvey Logan, the Montana train robber, was given ten sentences aggregating 130 years. Eight sentences are for fifteen years each, to be served concurrently, and two are for five years each, to be served concurrently.

Fortune for Mail Clerk.

Kenosha, Wis., Dec. 1.—C. A. Anderson, a railway mail clerk of this city, has been given a valuable piece of property near Hannibal, Mo., said to contain a quarry of lithographers' stone. He has declined an offer of \$700,000 for it.

Arrest Krupp Maligner.

Hamburg, Dec. 1.—The German painter, Christian Allers, a resident of Capri island, who, it is alleged, was responsible for the charges brought against the late Frederick Krupp, has been arrested at the Swiss frontier.

Sheriff Protects Prisoner.

Ironton, O., Dec. 1.—A mob attempted to take William Glasco, the assailant of Mary Maloney, from the jail, but was prevented by the sheriff. The prisoner was taken to Gallipolis where he was placed in jail.

Richard Danells Is Dead.

Chicago, Dec. 1.—Richard Danells, a wealthy stockman of Fort Crook, Neb., who came to Chicago to attend the fat stock show, died suddenly of heart disease.

Gasoline Kills Boys.

Elkhart, Ind., Dec. 1.—Arthur and George Lynet, aged 8 and 9 years, tried to start a fire in a stove with gasoline and were burned so badly that both died.

Oil as Medicine.

In Levantine countries they say the external use of oil prevents rheumatism, gout and other kindred maladies, which are aggravated by external chills, and that the internal use of the oil removes the toxic condition of the blood which leads to the generation of these maladies.

CONGRESS MEETS AND ADJOURNS

Little Business Done Aside From Regular Opening Work of the Two Branches.

MESSAGE TUESDAY

Aged Chaplain of the Senate Resigns on Account of His Ill Health.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Washington, D. C., Dec. 1.—Exactly at noon today the president pro tem of the Senate called that body to order and Speaker Henderson of the house did the same and the second session of the fifty-seventh congress officially began.

Large Crowd Present
Long before ten o'clock the galleries of the two houses were filled up with interested spectators and the halls were crowded with people who couldn't find seats inside. The seats of the deceased members remained vacant.

Senate Adjourns
The senate was only in session for fifteen minutes and then adjourned until tomorrow out of respect to Senator McMillan, who has died since the last session. Rev. Milburn, the blind chaplain of the Senate handed in his resignation, owing to ill health.

REWARD OFFERED FOR MURDERER

Governor Offers \$500 For Apprehension of Fire Fiend and Murderer.

(Special To The Gazette.) Madison, Wis., Dec. 1.—Governor La Follette today offered \$500 reward for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who set fire to the Wickliff residence at La Grange, Walworth county, the night of Oct. 3. Three children of the family, William, Albert and Julia perished in the fire.

REFERENDUM LACKS MAJORITY OF VOTES

Illinois State Board of Canvassers Holds That the Propositions Have Met With Defeat.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 1.—According to the views taken by the state board of canvassers the referendum propositions submitted at the last election have been defeated and are without effect so far as influencing the action of the coming legislature is concerned. Up to the present time it has been supposed that the propositions carried because of the preponderance of the vote over the nay vote cast on the proposition, but the official canvass indicated that this is not the case. When the figures on the vote had been compiled it was found that while the propositions had a majority of the votes where the voters had expressed themselves, neither could muster a majority of the votes cast. Secretary of State Rose said the propositions should have a majority of all the votes cast to be of effect and announced that he would report the propositions as defeated. In this he was supported by the opinion of the attorney general, in which the treasurer and auditor acquiesced.

NAIL SAVES LIFE OF A MINER

Keeps Him From Falling to Death in 800-Foot Shaft.

Leadville, Colo., Dec. 1.—August Nelson escaped death at the Diamond mine here in a marvelous manner. He, with two other men, was going down the shaft 800 feet in a bucket, when he disappeared. The bucket continued down to the lower level, the men excepting every moment to be crushed by Nelson's body. But he did not fall. Investigation showed a large nail in the shaft had caught his rubber coat and pulled him out of the bucket, and he hung suspended for ten minutes. He kept perfectly still, for if he had moved he would have fallen 800 feet and been killed and probably killed his companions.

CRIPPLE CREEK GOLD OUTPUT

Nearly \$2,000,000 Worth of Ore Is Treated in November.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 1.—The Cripple Creek product for November reached 40,450 tons of gold ore of \$1,946,250 gross value. The smelters treated 10,000 tons of an average value of \$50. The Aragua mills treated 1,500 tons that averaged \$6.50 and the Iron Clads 600 tons of \$10 each. The ore treated by the other mills was worth \$25 to \$32 a ton. The Economic mill was closed two weeks, thus decreasing the camp's output. The December product will bring the year's total to \$23,000,000.

Renewed rumors of trouble in the Balkans are reaching London, and barbarous treatment of Christians is told of by the refugees.

CASTRO OPENED PRISON DOORS

President of Venezuela Releases His Enemies With A Christian Spirit.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Caracas, Dec. 1.—President Castro has opened all the prisons in this city and at Puerto Cabello and liberated the political offenders confined therein.

Among the released prisoners are Olavarria, the brother-in-law of General Matos, Acedo, the latter's confidential agent, and Volcan and Nunez, who were arrested for complicity in the revolution.

This act has produced a good impression, and it is reported that other revolutionary leaders will also be liberated.

The news that Germany will send three warships to reinforce the German squadron in Venezuela waters, which already numbers three vessels, has produced a feeling of apprehension in this city, and especially in official circles. The following is a quotation from the semi-official papers which comment on the cables treating of the attitude of Great Britain and Germany toward Venezuela:

"We will await confirmation of the cables before speaking more clearly, and we must suppose, with respect for the seriousness of the cabinet of St. James and the decision of the German government, that these cables are unfounded."

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Work on the Interurban terminal under the East River, New York, has been started.

Negotiations for the formation of a lead trust are said to be in progress in New York.

A company has been formed in Salt Lake City to reclaim 271,000 acres of arid land by irrigation.

Charles Lindahl, a juror in the county court in Chicago was mysteriously lost from the jury on Friday.

The third international live stock show at Chicago has the largest display of cattle ever assembled in one place.

Secret marriages will not be permitted in the future at the "Little Church Around the Corner" in New York.

Explorer Robert E. Peary is busy making maps of polar regions from information collected during his recent journey.

Chief of Police, O'Neill, of Chicago, in his annual estimate to the city councilmen will ask for 500 extra patrolmen.

Senator Turner of Washington said that it would be impossible to modify the tariff in the manner asked by some manufacturers.

Fire Chief Croker, removed from office in New York, has begun to fight to hold his place, and the legal machinery has been set in motion.

Senator Hanna said that Congress at the coming session would not enact any tariff and trust legislation, but he saw great need for ship subsidies.

Tuesday, the third triennial convention of Jewish women will be held at Baltimore, Maryland. A large Chicago delegation is on its way.

This morning the newly elected Cook county board held its first meeting in Chicago, the old board having performed its final service on Saturday.

Conellus Manderbilt, in an article just published, said that the substitution of electricity for the present motive power on the big railroads was remote.

Charles W. Allard, a Chicago ticket broker and two associates were found guilty of ticket frauds. The illegalities extended over a long period.

It is believed that I. Sellman is in Washington for the purpose of advancing money to Venezuela to settle the claims of Great Britain and Germany.

Alfred Mosley and English Workmen who have been on a tour of the United States and Canada, expressed great satisfaction in the result of their observations.

Governor Odell proposes to have a New York canal capable of carrying 1,000 ton boats, and at the same time save the state \$20,000,000 in proposed expenditures.

Sheriff-elect Barrett of Chicago, who entered upon his duties today, said that he would to it that all who are entitled to admission should enter the county committee meeting.

Courage Clifford decided that Mrs. Moffit is not the common law wife of W. W. Pike. The story of the formal agreement entered into at the Masonic Temple restaurant was discredited.

Two turret guns on board the United States battleship Texas burst during gun practice off Hampton, Va., and the vessel was saved from serious injury only by the prompt work of the gunners.

Scores of children of the West S. de in Chicago know nothing of flowers or plant life, and could not identify the most common blossoms was shown by recent tests made in connection with educational work.

Vandalism of the Age.

Tooting hall, the house in which De Foe is said to have written "Robinson Crusoe," is shortly to come under the auctioneer's hammer.

New Magazine for Women.

Mrs. Frank Leslie, it is rumored, will soon start a new magazine, devoted largely to the interests of women.

America's Highest Railway.

The highest railway in the United States is the Colorado Midland, which crosses a pass 11,530 feet high.

GREAT SHIP DEAL IS NOW COMPLETE

The Morgan Combine To Assume Official Control of the White Star Line.

HE PAID MILLIONS

Shareholders Receive Five Million Dollars For the Blocks of White Star Stock.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) London, Dec. 1.—The Morgan shipping combine today assumed entire control of the White Star line and completed the gigantic merger that has been engineered by J. Pierpont Morgan for some time past.

A Million Pounds
The price paid for the White Star line shares is one million pounds sterling, English money, or five million dollars in American money. Aside from this much stock is also to be issued to the company.

Few Shareholders
Of the \$5,000,000 to be paid the three hundred stock holders receive it all, according to their number of shares. This perfects one of the largest shipping deals that has ever been consummated.

TALK DROPPING OF MINNESOTA

Wisconsin Alumni in Chicago Say Gophers Are Unsportsmanlike in Conduct.

(Special By Scripps-McLae.) Chicago, Ill., Dec. 1.—There is a strong feeling among a coterie of Wisconsin men here that athletic relations with Minnesota should be broken off. They complain of what they term unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of Minnesota men. The Minnesota field is also a sore

CITY IN NEED OF MORAL REVIVAL

REV. DENISON URGES ORGANIZATION OF MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

LOW STANDARD OF CITY LIFE

Eloquent Plea For Higher Citizenship Made at the Congregational Church Yesterday.

Janesville's great need of a moral revival was sounded in no uncertain notes from the pulpit of the Congregational church yesterday morning by Rev. Robert C. Denison, who gave the first of two sermons on the city's needs. Yesterday Rev. Denison spoke of the moral and political needs and next Sunday the social and religious needs will be the subject under discussion.

Rev. Denison's sermon was full of earnest forcefulness and power. He spoke directly to the point, neither dodging the question nor attacking it with fanatical abuse. Nevertheless he held the low standard of morality in the city responsible for much of the downfall of young men and women.

How To Attain Heaven

For a text a part of the second verse of the twenty-first chapter of Revelation was chosen: "And I saw the Holy City, the New Jerusalem." To the man who wrote the words there was a natural relation between heaven and a city. To the modern man, ideas of heaven are more cloistered, associated with the country. The modern city is not very close to heaven but there are some characteristics that are common. In the city men must live together and there will never be heaven until men learn how to live together. It is only a negative, selfish goodness that is gained in seclusion. It is the problem of the city that must be solved before heaven can be attained.

A Difficult Problem

Rev. Denison referred to the difficulties which prevented pastors from dealing with municipal affairs in the pulpits. Christ must touch governments through individuals and politics are so intricate that they need to be dealt with by specialists. Yet the life in the city touches every home and the moral atmosphere in which families are raised is created by the conditions of city life. The good name of the city ought to be considered by every man second only to his respect for his family and any dishonor to the city should bring the blush of shame to the cheek of every citizen.

Pastors Ought To Speak

These things make it imperative for ministers to speak plainly and yet with the greatest care because of the greatness of the question. The concern of the church is duty and the first duty of the law is citizenship. It is a common by-word that there is no city in America where decent conditions prevail. England and Scotland laugh at America's bungling attempts to manage municipal affairs. It is interesting to know that before the reform bill of 1832 worse conditions prevailed in England. Through the reform bill English cities have been redeemed and it is not in the American make-up to admit that the same thing cannot be done in this country.

Causes For Evil

Many things are responsible for the existing conditions. Business stress demands a man's time and strength until he has little to devote to municipal affairs. Most American men are men of peace and this easy-going quality protects evil conditions. Then men believe that they cannot do any reform work because of personal business interests. Behind the barrier of these things, evil goes on uninterrupted and every citizen has a share of the responsibility.

What To Do About Them?

Simplify talk. Sometimes they abuse the men who are supposed to be at the heart of affairs. No real reform ever began in abuse. Nothing wins sympathy for a man as soon as abuse.

Things To Do

What are some things that can be done? The city needs first of all application of business methods to the management of municipal affairs. It needs a revival in simple and plain Christian morals. The revival which the city most needs is a revival of fatherhood and motherhood of patriotism and citizenship.

Any disrespect of law or immoral condition affects the entire city. If it happens, as it so often does, that young men and women go over the precipice to ruined lives, some blame rests on the young people for the indiscretion of youth but more blame rests in the low ideals of patriotism and the immoral conditions which exist in city life.

Institutions Handicapped

Men build churches and schools and expect them to build up pure womanhood and manhood. They hang around the necks of these institutions the heavy millstone of immoral conditions. Many people meet this need for a moral revival with a laugh, others with the assertion that things are not so bad after all. The moral backbone of the people need stiffening.

A Municipal League

One of the things which protect evil conditions is man's fear and there is no justice in it. It is no one man's burden and no one man's responsibility. One of the practical needs of the city is organization of a municipal league. The subject is to come up before the Twilight club at the next meeting. It hardly needs discussion but it is to be hoped that as a result of the meeting there will be an organization of fearless men, determined that only the best things in the life of the city shall prevail.

Need To Investigate

The first step would doubtless be investigation. Publicity, openness and candor are the requisites of democracy. Things done in the dark are a menace. The speaker's plea for a higher moral life was not made in the interests of any church or sect but in the interests of the growing boys and girls who demand a new object lesson in municipal government and a new standard of patriotism and

citizenship. This better city will be realized when men and women learn Christ's law and live together in peace and love for each other.

GOOD SERVICES AT FIRST M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Warner Is Preaching A Series of Evening Sermons on Great Sinners.

At the First M. E. church last evening Rev. W. W. Warner preached the second in a series of sermons on the great sinners in the Scriptures. The subject of the character sketch was Gehazi, servant of the Syrian king, who was sent to the prophet Elisha to inquire about the outcome of his master's illness. During the conversation Elisha prophesied that Gehazi would become king of Syria and that he would be guilty of great cruelties to the people of Israel. Gehazi replied: "Is thy servant a dog that he should do these things?" This reply formed the text for the sermon.

Influence of Power

It is strange how the promise of power will influence men for good or evil. Some men are tempted and feel the need of grace and wisdom while others become impressed with the idea that they can do as they choose and use their power for the wrong. The next day after Gehazi heard Elisha's prophesy, he began his career of cruelty, murder and wickedness. He mounted the throne and went rapidly to the bad.

Power Of Evil

There is always progress either for good or bad. Evil is an insidious plant which grows in the dark. It is a mistake to think that habits wear out. The history of slavery is the history of the life of each individual, who cherishes bad habits or who lets them alone. That is all that evil asks. It wants only license, mere existence and it will soon gain control.

Laws of Progress

The downward progress has been described as worldly, sensuous, devilish. There is no end to the career but people do not realize the danger at the start. The world is ruled by the laws of progress and the growth upward is as unending as that downward. People can decide at once to lead the useful, progressive life and for those who have fallen by the wayside there is the promise of reconstruction and regeneration through Christ.

Incidents and Music

Rev. Warner was liberal in the use of illustrations and many interesting instances were given. The music for the service was led by the chorus choir and Misses Mabel Woodman and Pearl Hall sang a duet sweetly.

FORT ATKINSON STANDS AT HEAD

No Other Interscholastic Team Has A Spotless Record For the Entire Season.

Fort Atkinson's claim to the high school football championship of southern Wisconsin cannot now be reasonably contested. They have finished the season with a record clear of defeats. The only stain on their year's work is a tie game with Janesville in which neither eleven scored. But as Janesville has been defeated by Madison, a team which was later taken into camp by Fort Atkinson, that cannot be used to dispute the claim.

Played Star Games.

In the interscholastic association this year the standard gridiron contests has been noticeably elevated. Never have there been so many close competitors for champion ship honors. Never have there been so many teams which could boast of a schedule extending well into November without an adverse score.

Several Decisive Battles

But the last of the season proved efficacious in weeding out the ranks of the rival schools. Thanksgiving especially administered the final blighting blow to a number of would-be pennant holders. The last game of Fort Atkinson's schedule settled the matter. On that occasion Janesville was defeated, deciding the place the northeast part of the state should hold in the final result.

A Clean Record

Fort Atkinson 11, Lake Mills 0.
Fort Atkinson 37, Watertown University 0.
Fort Atkinson 0, Janesville 0.
Fort Atkinson 5, Lake Mills 0.
Fort Atkinson 11, Madison 10.
Fort Atkinson 103, Stoughton 0.
Fort Atkinson 12, Kaukauna 0.

Thanksgiving Game

Janesville felt that there was little to be grateful for after her Thanksgiving day defeat. They were not only vanquished by a good sized majority, but they felt that it was not done by the fairest kind of work, either on the part of their opponents or the referee. And the Bower City boys are not indiscriminate kickers. But Green Day was not an unquarrelled school, so the result could not have been considered decisive, whatever the event.

CHANGE IN CASHIERS

Hardware Store and Laundry Has A Change In Office Force

Miss Freda Faust has resigned her position as book-keeper and cashier at H. L. McNamara's hardware store and has been succeeded by Miss Ada Fenton, who has had charge of the office of the Riverside Steam Laundry for some time past. Miss Gladys Menolson is installed as book-keeper and cashier at the laundry office.

BELOIT SOCIETY WEDDING

Daughter of President Eaton Is To Be Married December 15.

Invitations have been received in this city to the marriage of Miss Ethelwyn Eaton, daughter of President and Mrs. E. D. Eaton of Beloit, and Dr. Charles Francis Reed, of Grand Rapids, Mich. The wedding will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Tuesday evening, December the fifteenth at 8 o'clock.

SALVATION ARMY ATTRACTS CROWD

Adjutant Lovett Spoke to A Packed House Last Evening—Meetings in Afternoon.

Adjutant Lovett of the Woman's Garrison of Chicago is a woman of vigorous methods. Rarely has the Salvation Army had the benefit of a speaker whose strong, decisive manner attracted such attention on the street, and later drew such numbers to the hall. In addition to her powerful voice, and impassioned words she employed a cornet to call the attention of those on the streets to the meetings.

That her methods were successful was indicated by the large numbers who listened to her. The hall was nearly filled last evening, and the attention of those who had gone in out of curiosity or for other reasons, was closely held. She spoke with great earnestness of her experiences on the flower, both in the afternoon and in the evening.

Captain Jorgenson of Milwaukee was also present to aid in the services. The result was a red-letter day for the Salvationists. Well-attended meetings were held at three and eight o'clock on Sunday, as well as on Saturday evening. At four o'clock on Sunday a special meeting was conducted for the little ones.

WINTER WELCOMED BY BUSINESS MEN

Trade Was Dull During Unseasonable Weather But Picked Up Last Week.

Although the continuance of the mild weather which has made this fall a remarkable one has been a favorite topic of conversation and a general cause for mutual congratulations, winter's icy breath, which was felt in earnest for the first time the latter part of last week, found a cordial welcome from one quarter at least.

Merchants Rejoice

However much they may like the warmer, unseasonable weather personally, business men have been longing for genuine winter weather for some time past and the first snow storm of the season was hailed with delight last Saturday morning. The snowy carpet of the beautiful did not linger long and it meant exercise with snow shovels and disagreeable walking through slush and mud but it also meant renewed activity in business circles and the merchants were correspondingly happy.

Unseasonable Weather

The past summer and autumn have been peculiar seasons and have influenced business more than the general public realizes. The cool weather of the summer not only affected the growth of the ice cream vendor and the soda water man but it had a depressing effect on nearly all lines of business. Picnics and the other usual forms of amusement had little attraction for the people. Thin dresses could only be worn occasionally and this not only made lack of sales for the dry goods merchants but for the shoe men as well inasmuch as thin dresses always create a demand for fine Oxford.

Trade Is Dull

This uncertainty and depression has continued throughout the fall and business has been excessively dull. "What we need is some cold, snappy weather to wake people up," said one merchant. "They will not get ready for winter until they feel the winter is here. Unseasonable weather is never accompanied by a feeling of stability and people are content to drift along. Business will be dull until cold weather sets in."

Business Activity Begins

The past week has proven the truth of this statement. With the first breath of winter there began to be activity in the stores. Buyers began looking for coats, overcoats, heavy clothing and underwear and a few rash mortals realized for the first time that it was time that low shoes were laid away and heavy shoes with thicker soles purchased.

Must Have Coal

The man who had been running his furnace a few hours each day on broken up boxes suddenly found that his empty coal bin needed filling. Rush orders were sent to the hardware merchants for coal stoves that were in storage and permanent preparations hurriedly made. While the dry goods dealers, the clothiers and the coal merchants are first to feel the trade revival which soon spreads to other lines of business. The people are down town and they are down town to spend money and the business interests of the city generally reap the benefits.

Christmas Draws Near

The cold weather also brings a realization that Christmas is less than four weeks away and that it is time for the wise person to begin the holiday shopping. Holiday goods are beginning to be displayed in the stores, and it is natural that for the coming three weeks and a half interest will center in the purchase of Christmas gifts. The coming month will be a busy one in the stores.

W. R. C. LADIES TO VISIT EDGERTON

Will Be the Guests of the Corps in that City For Dinner Tomorrow.

On tomorrow quite a large delegation from W. H. Sargent Woman's Relief Corps, No. 21 will go to Edgerton in response to an invitation received from the Edgerton W. R. C. to be their guests at dinner and attend the corps meeting in the afternoon. At the last meeting of the corps the invitation was accepted and about twenty-five of the ladies signified their intention of making the trip.

The party will go to Edgerton by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train tomorrow and all ladies intending to accompany the party are requested to be at the depot at 10:15 o'clock.

PRESENTED TO CHRIST CHURCH

CADETS WERE PUBLICLY RECOGNIZED ON SUNDAY EVENING.

OBLIGATIONS ADMINISTERED

Rev. Barrington Spoke to Young Militants on Soldierly Life—Veterans Were Present.

Christ church did honor to her cadets last evening. Veterans of the Grand Army of the Republic were present at the installation of the company and their presentation to the congregation. The hymns, "Onward, Christian Soldiers," America," and "Soldiers of the Cross," were of a martial tone, and the scripture readings followed the same trend.

Promptly at seven o'clock the service opened with the processional. The veterans and the cadets, the latter clad in uniform, were seated at the front of the church on the left hand side. The cadet officers were in the pews together across the aisle.

After the use of the shortened form of evening prayer, and the Scripture lessons the commissioned officers were called upon to come forward, and Rev. Barrington called upon them to accept the offices to which they had been commissioned, the commissions having been approved by the company council. They then took the following obligation:

"I, (giving the name and title of office) in accepting the office to which I am commissioned in the Church to which this company is attached, acknowledge my obligation under Jesus Christ, our Great Captain, to be loyal to this Church and to this company, and to carry out the instructions I shall from time to time receive, and to do all that lies in my power, God helping me, to promote the supreme object of the organization; the advancement of Christ's Kingdom among the boys and to promote habits of reverence, discipline and self-respect and all that tends to true Christian manliness."

Recognition of Cadets

In a few brief sentences Captain Engelbrecht, in behalf of the officers, presented the cadets to the rector. The latter in turn presented the cadets to the congregation, calling upon them in the presence of those witnesses to obey faithfully the obligations.

After a hymn Rev. Barrington addressed the cadets, veterans, and congregation. He spoke impressively of the ups and downs which the company had experienced. For different causes their ranks had been thinned. They had met with other difficulties. But they now stood as a publicly recognized body, the only military company in the city at the present time.

Honor To Veterans

Touching reference was made to the rapidly decreasing number of the veterans who were present. The rector said that he often believed that every hat should be lifted to the members of the Grand Army from whose numbers many had exemplified the life of Christ by dying that others might live. It was through their good offices that these boys who were perhaps only "playing at soldiering" would not have to bear arms in earnest.

But another opportunity is given the cadets to fight. They belong to the church militant, the aggressive, fighting church.

They also stand as a temperance body, having all taken with their obligation, when they were sworn into the service, the oath not to touch a drop of liquor while members of the company.

Urged Soldierly Obedience

Rev. Barrington closed with a general reference to the soldier-like qualities of obedience. The first rule is to execute the order. Afterwards it may be appealed if necessary. The soldier cannot rule until he can first obey.

Christian manliness should be the aim of every member of the company. They should learn to obey, not only the orders of their officers, but the mandates of the Lord. They should be members not only of the cadets, but of the higher organization in which they should obey the great captain of the host—Jesus Christ.

The congregation remained standing at the close of the service while the cadets, followed by the Grand Army post, marched down the center aisle and out of the church.

Roster of the Company

The following are the officers of the company at the present time: Rector, A. H. Barrington; captain, E. A. Engelbrecht; first lieutenant, Richard H. H. Griffiths; second lieutenant, Percy Merrill.

Sergeants, Q. M., C. S. Carpenter; first, Fred Hutchinson; corporals, first, Alfred Olsen; second, Harvey Lee; third, Fred Nelson; fourth, Leslie Townsend. Buglers, Willie Phillips, John Griffiths.

Privates
Lauren Caldwell, Fay Eddington, Doane Wright, Warren Clark, Harold H. Smith, Willie Jaake, Leo Geherke, John Griffiths, Frank Phelps, George Sheridan, John Hammarlund, Ross Knox, Archie Withersell, Arthur Hollins, Harvey Bailey, Harold Snyder, E. O. Golling, Ralph Palmer, Bert Beck, Otto Dreyer, F. R. Wilkerson, Willie Darcy, Louis Gage, George Hockett, G. A. Chase, Armand Ehringer, Carl Merrill, John Murphy.

Company Council
The Rector, Captain, David Atwood, Col. R. M. Bostwick, Jr., and Col. G. S. Parker.

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Green's warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

J. P. Baker, Geo. E. King & Co., E. B. Heilmann, Smith's Pharmacy, People's Drug Co., H. F. Hanson & Co., Janesville, Wis.

A gasoline explosion in the Corner Department store of Delavan, caused the ruin of ten thousand dollars' worth of goods.

WILL RUN AT HIGH RATE ON NEW ROAD

Curve Near Power's Is Being Changed In Order to Allow Greater Speed.

One of the large cars of the Inter-urban line took a force of men and their supplies out to their work Sunday. The car ran as far as the curve near the Powers farm. The curve is being changed at that point so as to allow of greater speed. In fact it is expected that it will hardly be necessary to slow up perceptibly while rounding it. The time required for the alteration will delay the operation of the cars two or three days, but it will mean a great saving in the time of each trip made. It is being lengthened from a nine-degree to a two-degree arc.

On the Rockford line an unusually high rate of speed is maintained, hovering near the forty-five or fifty-mile mark a large part of the time. One of the motormen who is well acquainted with the condition of the Rockford-Belvidere track, as well as the Rockford-Janesville line, said that the passengers would not be able to keep their seats on the former line if the cars were operated at the same speed that they are in the R. B. & J. Ry. This is due to the unusually good condition of the road bed, and it is proposed to have the Beloit-Janesville part of the line in fully as good condition.

CHIEF ENGINEER AFTER MORE MEN

Asks the Police and Fire Commission For Four New Call Men.

Chief Engineer Klein has asked for four call men to be members of the fire department. Since the order requiring one man to sleep at each fire station was issued, two men have resigned. The four men asked for by the chief engineer will fill these vacancies and give him two additional men. The salary is \$100 a year and the men are provided with comfortable sleeping quarters. It is quite a good position for a single man. Those desiring to make application can secure blanks from the chief.

Excursion Rates to Chicago Via C. M. & St. P. Ry.

Dec. 1, 2, and 3, good to return until Dec. 8. At one and one-third fare for the round trip; act's Live Stock Exposition.

NEW TELEPHONE CABLE ORDERED

Rock County Company Orders A Two Hundred Pair One, To Accommodate West Side.

At a meeting of the directors of the Rock County Telephone company held last Friday evening the secretary was instructed to purchase a new two hundred pair cable, which will be run through the conduit from in front of the Rock County National Bank to the man hole at the corner of Franklin and West Milwaukee street.

The new cable will not replace any now in use but was ordered on account of the increase in business. In the Fourth and Fifth wards several orders for phones have been refused because they did not have enough wires on the west side of the river. The new cable will give them a sufficient number of connections to accommodate a large number of new subscribers on the west side of the river.

We sat at the table together. She cast a shy glance over at me. She certainly looked like an angel. Oh, Charley! Please order me Rocky Mountain Tea. Smith's Pharmacy.

FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS

Has used and sold the old well-known remedy Mrs. Winkler's SORBITOL SYRUP for children's coughing. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays inflammation, whoops and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. See a bottle.

Mert J. Stanton of Beloit spent Sunday with relatives in this city.

Particular People

Nothing we enjoy more than to wait on particular people, people that know what they want, what an article is worth, insist on a fair price and will not accept a substitute.

We particularly pride ourselves upon our qualifications as pharmacists and as stated before we are the only drug store in this city in charge of a graduate pharmacist, our business is drugs, yet, custom compels us to carry also a line of so-called sundries; that is Toilet Articles, Perfumes, Soaps, Patent Medicines, etc., these we buy at the very best prices and quality and sell at only a fair profit, for the convenience of our customers, we always have on hand special bargains in sundries, as for instance our Sandalwood soap, Perfume and Tooth Brush sales. Watch our Saturday bargains, we offer Olive Oil in original bottles, highest grade, imported, 3c. Imported Castile Soap, 10c; a fine Tooth Brush, 15c; the best Boro-Talcum Powder we know of at 15c; a strictly pure Extract of Vanilla at 10c the ounce. Our prices are the lowest and you receive rebate tickets on all cash purchases.

BADGER DRUG CO.

PHONE 178.
Milwaukee & River St., Janesville.

SHERMAN HOUSE

(Cor. Randolph and Clark Sts., Chicago.)
New ownership and management. Entirely re-furnished. In the heart of the city, near the best theatres, street cars, a minute's walk from the city hall, 20 and 22.50 large airy and comfortable rooms at \$1 and \$1.50. The Sherman House is one of Chicago's first-class hotels. Thoroughly up-to-date and popular.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.
THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, S. MAIN ST., JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

A Few Winter Garments...

Almost every day this fall we have received shipments of new Monte Carlos, Blouse Jackets and Long Garments. Our stock has been kept right up to the top notch and few sales have been missed. Having what a lady wants, and when she wants it, no tedious waiting, accounts for the very satisfactory business we have been doing in Cloaks

Misses and Children...

We have kept them well in mind and have been told time and again that not only have we got by the largest stock and prettiest styles but that our prices are much lower than at other stores. We can easily prove every statement. We are making very low prices now on all Winter Garments. It will pay to investigate.

Furs...

Almost everything desirable in Fur Scarfs, Storm Collars, Gapes, Jackets, Muffs, Fur Sets for Misses and Children, 200 of them.

The Bargain Department on Second Floor...

is the place to get real Bargains. The Suits at \$4.50 are going fast—why? Because they are made of good wearing cloths and are suits that actually sold for \$10 to \$20. We have a fair assortment left but we repeat, they are going fast. Great time to fit out the girls for school. Any alterations can be easily made by any woman handy with the needle.

The Capes are Immense Bargains—

made of wool astrachan, kersey and and plush fur trimmed or richly embroidered. A good cape can be bought at any price you want to pay from 3 to 10 dollars. They are wonderful bargains and are all splendidly made and in perfect condition.

Dress Goods Bargains...

at 6c, 7c, 10c, 12½c, 18c—At 25c, 54 inch dark suiting made to sell at 40c. Blankets, Crash Table Linens that are away under price. 3000 Yards Outing Flannel 8c grade we offer at 6c.

It will pay to call and see what we are offering in the 2nd floor bargain department.

Jackets \$5.00

We almost forgot about these Jackets. They were sold at 10 to 22 dollars. Warm, heavy, all cloths.

UOBS BOTTLED BEER....

For The Home.

In pints or quarts. Per case on bottles.
24 Pints.....\$1.00
24 Qts..... 1.75

South Side Brewery, PHONE 141.

SLABS
\$5.50 Per Crd \$5.50

Sawed and delivered. Heavy and dry. Just the thing to start your chunk fire

BLACK BAND COAL

for domestic use. \$7.50 per ton. Once used, always used.

J. F. SPOON & CO
Down Town Office: Badger Drug Store, Phones 178.
Telephone 211—Yards, North River St

New 1903 Wall Papers

will soon be here. The stock of 1902 papers that we now have on hand, we will close out at ...

BELOW ACTUAL COST !!!

simply because we need the room for the new stock. See our line at 5c a roll.

KENT & CRANE

FUNNY PRANKS OF A GOTHAM GALE

High Wind Reveals Many Feminine Secrets Not Meant to Be Public.

New York.—"Wind" northwesterly, fresh to a gale, and winter hosiery signals displaying from Twenty-sixth street to Eighteenth," was the weather report today from Fifth avenue and Twenty-third street, and many shoppers reached their home ports tonight with stories of distress in the gale as well as in the bargain counters.

The wind storm was worst for the shoppers at Broadway, Fifth avenue, and Twenty-third street, where the Flatiron building splits the wind and throws it in two parts to Twenty-second street, where the halves come together and make a cyclone. Most shoppers rounded the point of the Flatiron under practically bare poles, with the lower rigging slashing in a whirl of white above.

Wind Reveals—What It Reveals. The storm reveals to dustless eyes, if there were any, the fact that this winter there is practically nothing in solid black. Stripes prevail, up and down, for almost everything over ten pounds and round about for smaller craft. Many garter buckles are of solid metal enameled in red and white.

Every shopper who hasn't left off the open winter stockings or is waiting for Christmas for somebody to give her a pair of high shoes was sorry. She had a blue nose, features pinched by the cold, and too much vibration from shivers.

Gale Sweeps Away Cargoes. Most of the craft were carrying heavy cargoes of Christmas goods. One, in sable, lost her whole deckload of parcels, which were swept into the street by an angry gust of wind. She got just as angry as the gust, when her gown tried to follow the parcels, and, peering over the hem of her skirt at one tall, lean bystander, with far-seeing eyes, exclaimed:

"You're every bit as fresh as the wind—every bit!"

The bystander, unabashed, continued to stand right on that corner, where he had been anchored over two hours. Finally, a policeman suspected him and told him to blow down the avenue. He went to Union square and staid there unmolested until the shopping was over for the day.

Policeman Tells Experience. The policeman at the Twenty-third street crossing told how his club had been bent by the wind almost double when he held it up to warn a reckless cab driver.

"But what happened to my club?" said the cop, "wasn't a marker to what happened to a pumpkin. A man was coming down Broadway carrying a big pumpkin left over from a Thanksgiving raffish. When he reached Twenty-third street the wind blew that pumpkin right out of his arms. It struck on the north edge of the Flatiron and split in two. One half was carried down Broadway and the other down Fifth avenue."

"But at Twenty-second street crossing something still more remarkable happened. The wind does all sorts of things back of the Flatiron. There several columns of hot air come up from the side walk vaults and mix with the cold air. There was great suction today, and the hot air of Twenty-second street drew in the southbound gales from Broadway and the avenue, and brought the two halves of the pumpkin together with-out losing a seed."

Twins Separated and Reunited. "Almost the same thing happened to two little twins blowing down Broadway just ahead of their mother and quarreling over corn balls. One had a pink corn ball and the other a yellow one, and each was mad because she wanted the other's color. While they were boohooing about it the wind picked 'em up and the Flatiron separated 'em."

"But that hot air suction in Twenty-second street was still blending the Broadway and Fifth avenue gales and drew in both twins. When the mother found them they were in each other's arms whirling around in a terrible eddy and throwing off showers of popcorn by centrifugal force. I know centrifugal is the right word because I made grindstones before I was a cop."—Chicago Tribune.

Literary Note

Mr. Arthur Sherburne Hardy, who has recently become the United States ambassador to Spain after a notable career as minister successively to Persia, Greece and Switzerland, will publish serially in the Atlantic Monthly for the coming year a new novel which exhibits to the full his fine narrative genius. The plot turns up complication in the money market in New York and love entanglements in a New Hampshire house party. Those who have read the manuscript know that Mr. Hardy has never created more attractive and perfectly vitalized characters, or presented a truer picture of certain aspects of contemporary life.

Things to Be Banished

Here are a few things that must be banished from a room with pretensions to taste: papered ceilings; pale characteristic colors; the insipid pinks and blues, violets and greens; that the calimni are addicted to Nottingham lace curtains; drapes, flares, etc.; meaningless bows of ribbon tied on various objects; filled or flounced lamp shades; plush mats; over-mantels; plush frames; sofa cushions adorned with Gibson girls or other pictures.

You may already be burdened by one of these things and be unable to discard it. In that case try to live down the crime, but do not add to it. Last Christmas day Clarissa showed me with a grimace, a present from an old family friend. It was a small plaster bust of the worthy man, a fat person with side whiskers. He had had his bust modeled and a large number of them cast for Christmas presents to his friends.

"And mother says we must keep that object on our drawing room mantel, or good Mr. Worth's feelings will be hurt," observed my young lady, disdainfully.

The next time I called the bust had vanished, and I inquired about it. "Hush!" said Clarissa, glancing around. "Has mother gone upstairs? Well, then, I gave Hilma a quarter break it accidentally when she dusted."

That is one way of getting rid of things.—The Pilgrim for December.

A Mantel vs. A Fireplace

A "mantel" meaning a shelf or ledge of some sort at least and some form of support for same, is, in the popular mind, regarded as an essential adjunct of a fire place; and to many a mirror over the shelf is likewise necessary and its omission on the part of the designer a serious oversight. In the noblest examples which remain to us of the glorious fireplace created by the Gothic and early Renaissance architects of France the shelf is often lacking entirely, or is merely a cornice of a slight projection on the lofty face of the great chimney, or chimney. These cavernous stone openings before which we feel like uncovering our heads at Chigny, at Bois, at Pierrefonds,—how they mock the modern bric-a-brac toy affairs displayed in shop windows like furniture, sleek with varnish on machine carving and glittering with a petty incrustation of tiles.—Country Life in America, Christmas Annual.

A Decay in the Church Influence.

(Charles W. Elliot, in The World's Work.)

The church and its ministers cannot be said to have risen in public estimation since the civil war. Its control over education has distinctly diminished. In some of its branches it seems to cling to archaic metaphysics and morbid poetic imaginings, in others it apparently inclines to take refuge in decorous pomp, costumes and observances. On the whole it has not been able to keep up with the progress of either science or democracy—those that never stop for golden apples dropped in their path—and it has shown little readiness to rely on the intense reality of the universal sentiments to which Jesus appealed, or to go back to the simple preaching of the gospel of brotherhood and unity—of love to God and love to man. So the church as a whole has today no influence whatever on many millions of our fellow countrymen—called Jews or Christians, Protestants or Catholics though they be. We still believe that the voluntary church is the best of churches; because a religion which is accepted under compulsion is really no religion at all for the individual soul, though it may be a social embellishment or a prop for the State. Yet, believing thus, we have to admit that the voluntary church in the United States has no hold on a large and increasing part of the population.

The St. Paul Calendar for 1903

Six sheets 10 x 15, in colors, of pastel drawings by Bryson, is now ready for distribution and will be mailed on receipt of twenty-five (25) cents—coin or stamps. Address F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

Very Low Rates to International Live Stock Exposition, Chicago. Excursion tickets will be sold December 1, 2 and 3, with extreme return limit until December 8 inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

The Next President of the United States

(From the World's Work.) The next presidential contest will be between Mr. Roosevelt and a yet unknown democrat, with chances more strongly in Mr. Roosevelt's favor of any man in our recent history two years before the election. The one thing that he has most to fear is not any particular democratic candidate now within sight, but his possible running mate known by the name of Hard Times. Whenever he comes into the field, the present political contentment and apathy will be rudely disturbed.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY—Take Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets. This signature on every box. 25 cents.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

Published by authority of the common council of the city of Janesville, Office of the City Clerk, Janesville, Wis., Nov. 29th, 1902. To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that the following is a copy of a proposed ordinance introduced at an adjourned meeting of the common council of the City of Janesville, held at the council chambers, in said city, on the 28th day of November, 1902, and that said ordinance will be considered and acted upon by said common council at a regular meeting thereof, to be held in said council chambers on the 8th day of December, 1902, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

An ordinance to provide for the issue and sale of certain bonds for the erection and construction of a city hall and for the annual tax levy to pay for the same.

The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Janesville Do Ordain as Follows:

Whereas, in the judgment of the common council it is expedient and necessary that the city of Janesville raise money to pay for the erection and construction of a city hall in addition to the money heretofore raised for such purpose, now, therefore,

Section 1. The mayor and city clerk be and they are hereby authorized and directed to prepare, execute and issue fifty bonds of the city of Janesville, in denominations of five hundred dollars each, as above authorized, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, and payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year, commencing on the first day of November 1903, with principal and interest payable at the office of the treasurer of said city, and to be used in pursuance of and in conformity with the provisions of sections 926-11 to 926-13 inclusive, of the Wisconsin Statutes of 1898, payable as follows: Two bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1903.

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Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1913.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1914.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1915.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1916.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1917.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1918.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1919.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1920.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1921.

Three bonds of \$500.00 each on November 1st, 1922.

Section 2. Said bonds shall bear an appropriate name, indicating the purpose of their issue, be consecutively numbered, signed by the mayor and city clerk, show on their face the amount of indebtedness of said city, the amount of the assessment of the taxable property therein for each of the five years next preceding their issue, and the average amount thereof, and shall recite the fact that the city has provided for the collection of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay the interest thereon as it falls due and the principal within twenty years from their issue.

Said bonds shall have interest coupons attached, with the signatures of the mayor and city clerk printed in lithograph thereon.

Section 3. The mayor of said city is hereby authorized and directed to negotiate and sell said bonds and each of them at a sum not less than their par value and accrued interest, and when sold to pay over the money received therefor to the city treasurer to be used in payment for the erection and construction of a city hall, as above set forth, upon the order of the common council.

Section 4. An annual tax shall be and hereby is levied upon all the taxable property of said city and shall be collected in addition to other taxes levied thereon, sufficient to pay when due the interest upon each and all of said bonds and also sufficient to pay and discharge the principal of said bonds and each of them at the time the same shall become due as hereinbefore set forth.

Section 5. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

The Size of Rivers.

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is having a lively time just now, and is playing havoc all over the country, but he will settle down to business, bye-and-bye. Meanwhile we are doing business at the same old stand, and are supplying the needs of the people of Janesville with just as good and just as clean and satisfactory coal as we have ever sold before, and if you need a new supply just send us your order and we will deliver at once.

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OFFICIAL NOTICE.

City Improvement Notice.

Published by the authority of the common council of the city of Janesville, Office of the City Clerk, Janesville, Wis., December 1st, 1902.

To Whom it May Concern: Notice is hereby given that a contract has been let for improving Millon avenue from Milwaukee avenue to St. Mary's avenue by grading, macadamizing and the laying of gutters and curbing, and that the expense of said improvement chargeable to the real estate in the block bounded by said road and said avenue, and a statement of the same is on file with the city clerk. It is proposed to issue bonds chargeable only to the real estate in the block, and such bonds will be issued covering all of said assessments, except in cases where the owners of the property file with the city clerk, within thirty days after the date hereof, a written notice that they elect to pay the special assessments or a part thereof on their property, describing the same, on presentation of the certificates.

A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.

Harriet M. Jackson, plaintiff, vs. The Janesville City Hospital, defendant. By virtue of and pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above-entitled action in the Circuit Court for Rock County on the 13th day of September, 1902, in favor of the above-named plaintiff and against the above-named defendant, and pursuant to stipulation of the parties hereto, on file with the clerk of said court, I will, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of December, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on that day, at the front door of the postoffice in the city of Janesville, in said county, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash all of the real estate and mortgaged premises situated in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, and in and by said judgment directed to be sold and therein described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number one (1) of Block number one (1) of Highland Park Addition to Janesville, according to the duly recorded plat thereof, and being the property known as the City of Janesville Hospital, or so much of said premises as may be sufficient to pay said judgment, with interest thereon, together with costs of sale.

R. J. MALTPRESS, Sheriff Rock County.

WILLIAM G. WHEELER, Plaintiff's Attorney.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 19th day of December, 1902, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of D. L. Earle to admit to probate the last will and testament of Mary A. Earle, late of the town of Porter, in said county deceased.

Dated November 24th, 1902. By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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BACKWARD cold weather has left us with too many overcoats. There is only one way to sell them and that is to cut the price.

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Irish Frieze
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MUST PROTECT THEMSELVES

In 1888 the late Hon. James G. Blaine delivered an address on the tariff, before an immense audience at the polo grounds in Harlem. The closing paragraph was addressed to workmen, and it is so full of good sound sense, that it is worth repeating. Mr. Blaine said:

"The first political speech which I delivered after more than a year's absence in Europe was in this great city, last month. I then, warned the laboring men of the United States that a protective tariff was their shield and bulwark; that they could break it down with votes, or they could sustain it with their votes. I repeat that same admonition in the same great city, here and now. If the great army of wage-earners in this country will not protect themselves, there is no other power that can protect them. A century's experience of the tariff should be their warning and their guide."

It is for you to say if a century's experience should be light to your feet. It should teach you the great and useful lesson that if you do not maintain your own ground no one else will maintain it for you. The power is in your hands. It may be welded for your destruction, or it may be welded for your protection and your safety."

The advice given by the great statesman fourteen years ago, is as true today as then. If there is any class of people in this country, who are interested in business and financial stability, it is the laboring class.

Paralyze an industry by unwise legislation, and it means vastly more than loss to the capital invested, it means idleness and suffering to labor, and permanent loss that can never be regained.

The man who advocates tinkering with the tariff, of whatever political faith, offers no well defined reason for his action. He may be honest in thinking that imaginary wrongs are real, and that people are burdened with high prices on account of a protective tariff, but honesty of conviction is not always a safe standard. The necessities of life, outside of butter, which is protected by class legislation of pronounced type, and coal which has not yet recovered from strike conditions, were never as cheap in prosperous times, as they are today. You can buy more sugar for a dollar than you can carry home and oil enough to light the house for a week, for ten cents. In spite of the villainous sugar and oil protected trusts.

The man who is howling for tariff revision, can give no better reason for the disturbance he is creating, than the old democratic argument, "he wants a change."

He fails to recognize the fact that tariff revision means, not the disturbing of a single industry, but destruction of confidence, and the paralysis that always follows in the industrial world.

This means everything to labor, and Mr. Blaine knew what he was talking about, when he urged workmen to protect their own interests by supporting American protection.

The country had an object lesson, which extended over a period of four years during the last decade.

The stagnation which covered the country like a heavy pall, and caused so much suffering through idleness, was not the result of natural causes. Crops were abundant, the money had not left the country, and yet in one short year the nation went from prosperity to adversity, and all because the people became restless under good conditions, and voted for a change.

The change came, and it was so startling that the most sanguine advocates were astonished at results.

The democratic party aided by a lot of misguided republicans, was responsible for the changed conditions, and in an effort to redeem itself, cheap money was advocated as the panacea for idleness and all other ills.

If the man without work became weary of soup house fare, he could in some mysterious way be supplied with fifty-cent dollars, and life would be a continuous holiday.

The scheme failed, and Bryanism absorbed democracy so completely that the party has never recovered.

There is no more demand for a change today than there was in 1892. Times were good then and they are good now. The workmen of the country are not to be fooled the second time on the same proposition. They believe in protection to home industries and do not hesitate to say so by their votes.

COAL IN INDIAN TERRITORY
Joseph A. Taff, geologist of the United States Geological Survey, has just returned from a trip to the coal and mineral lands in the Indian Territory.

This was in accordance with an agreement entered into by the government and the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations, which provided that such lands, not exceeding half a million acres, should be segregated to the

secretary of the interior, and sold at public auction within two years.

Mr. Taff reports a number of rich coal bearing veins, varying in thickness from two and one-half to five feet and covering quite an extensive area. The coal is of high grade bituminous, with occasionally an anthracite deposit.

Arrangements are now being made for the sale of the land, which will occur sometime in March, 1903.

These new coal fields will be a God send to the western country. Much of the coal deposit in the mountain district, is so full of iron that it is almost impossible to use it. The railroads are obliged to ship largely from the central western fields, for their own use, and the item of fuel is of no small consequence.

FREE SILVER

The disciples of Bryanism are having an object lesson just now in low priced silver. The Mexican dollar which contains more silver than the American coin, is worth 37 cents in the New York market, and the price is likely to go lower.

The decline is said to be the result of influx of the white metal from China. That nation is now engaged in paying off her war indemnity, and silver is the coin of the realm.

It is well for the nation that Mr. Bryan with his 6,000,000 followers, was turned down in 1896. Free silver may be all right for Mexico and China, but 16 to 1 silver in the United States would mean bankruptcy in less than 12 months.

There are some hobbies which masquerade under the guise of reform that are too dangerous to experiment with, and free silver is one of them. Like free trade, it has a high sounding title, and there are multitudes of people who are fascinated with anything that is free.

The man who works in Mexico at \$3 per day is no better off than the man this side of the line who works for \$1.25. American silver passes at par, because back of it is a gold dollar guaranty. If the government was obliged to sell its \$400,000,000 silver bullion at what it is worth on the market today it would realize less than \$160,000,000. Free silver is a snare and delusion.

The live stock show, now being held in Chicago, is attracting unusual interest. While the horse department is unusually attractive, it means more than a horse show, because the display of cattle and swine, is a prominent feature. Chicago is to be congratulated on a display of stock that is seldom rivaled.

The people of Fond du Lac are said to be suffering from lead poison as the result of drinking too much water as a beverage. Milwaukee has no trouble of this kind, because the citizens of that metropolis believe that water should only be used for bathing purposes.

Women postal clerks, who marry, will hereafter be obliged to stay at home and keep house, so says the new order from the department. That is as it should be when a woman is ready to marry, she ought to be satisfied to settle down to domestic life.

It is reported that Assemblyman Lenroot has not yet decided whether he will be a candidate for speaker or not. Ray and Bradford are in the field and the contest promises to be lively.

The New England states do not favor tariff reform. They believe that protected industries, insure protection to American labor. New England is sound on questions of business and finance.

Plenty of snow at Bloomington, Ill., and at Kansas City. Janesville comes as near being a summer resort as any northern city.

Gold is being found in the river bottoms of Georgia. Wisconsin is satisfied with clam shells and pearls.

PRESS COMMENT.

Boston Herald: King Edward VII. is the first English sovereign to figure on the coinage of the realm as baldheaded. Most sovereigns of his age wear wigs for pictorial purposes.

Buffalo Express: The robber who is tapping the tills of the Brooklyn elevated railroad should be collared as soon as possible. It is enough for the public to support a grasping corporation without knowing that a relative is also in the game.

St. Louis Post-Dispatch: The African queen who put to death forty-nine of her husbands is evidently resolved to have peace in her domestic circle and establish regular hours.

Detroit Free Press: Almost any Michigan cow is worth \$150 after she has been shot by an amateur hunter.

Grant County World: A French scientist claims to have discovered the fighting, headache germs in liquor and promises to produce drinks which give the proper "salo" without any of the ill effects. Truly this is a progressive age.

Fond du Lac Reporter: It took four shots from a rifle and six from a revolver to kill a dog at Racine the other day. The dogs in Racine must have a remarkable vitality or else there is room for improvement in marksmanship.

Eau Claire Leader: We read of a young lady in a Wisconsin city being found dead in her room shortly after breakfast. Although the coroner's inquest said "strychnine" yet

there have been so many changes in breakfast foods of late that some people may have their doubts.

Darlington Journal: Owing to an accident in the composing room today—which is always to be expected immediately after a holiday—the tabulated report of the supervisor of assessments will not appear until next week.—(Editors.)

Washington Star: When railroads have more business on hand than they can comfortably handle, it is difficult to see why any of them should feel the necessity of combining to hold up rates. A project to hold up facilities would appear to be more in keeping with the situation.

Milwaukee Sentinel: Chemists employed by Armour & Co., Chicago, announce that they have discovered a preparation, made from the thyroid glands of animals, which will cure a foot. This will promise well for the intellectual progress of the world if the persons to be benefited could be depended on to know that they need the new medicine, but unfortunately fools generally mistake themselves for wise men.

Vicarious Restitution

Not long since a respectable colored preacher, who was noted for his ability to "cuss out" people from the pulpit, was hurled thunderbolts of invective against his congregation because of a great wave of lying and stealing that was sweeping over the city. Among other things he said: "No longer 'las' night, someone come an' stole de 'las' two chickens."

Next morning a colored man with two fine hens came up to the preacher's door. He said: "Parson, yehah's yo' chickens."

"No sah," said the preacher, "yehah's yo' chickens." "I knows dey ain't peractly yo' own," explained the parishoner, "but dese is to take de place of yo' own. Yo' chickens wuz et up 'fo' de 'cree we' forth. An 'las' night after I went to bed, my consunshur hurst me so tell I had to git up and go over to Marsh Bob's house and git two mor' chickens. Parson, do tek dese chickens, an fer de Lawd's sake take dat 'cree back, too."—Silas Xavier Floyd in Lippincott's Magazine.

A Revision for George Washington
At an auction of a collection of books in a Washington shop the other night a copy of one of President Roosevelt's books was put up and caused a sharp little contest between bidders. It was finally knocked down to a price somewhat in excess of the regular price at a store. Encouraged by the display of patriotic interest, as he interpreted it, the auctioneer picked up a life of George Washington and held it up, with the usual perforce of choice comment. Silence followed the panegyric. Not a solitary bid was heard. Again the auctioneer tried the value of advertising; but not an offer was made. Tossing the book back on the shelf, he said, in a tone of mingled contempt and disgust, "Go back to the shelf, George! You're not wanted; you're a back number. The times are too strenuous for you, George."

Escape of Prisoner—Question for Jury
A constable was convicted for allowing a prisoner to escape from his custody. The state law relating to a charge against an officer for allowing a prisoner to escape provides that it shall be sufficient, in support of the indictment, to prove that the prisoner was committed to his custody, and that he should be on defendant's side, that such escape was not by his consent or negligence, but that he had used all legal means to prevent it, and acted with proper care and diligence. Held, that where the constable testified that the escape was not with his consent; that he acted in good faith in trying to prevent it; that to prevent a lynching he concluded to conceal the prisoner in a dark wood over night; and that an armed force there captured the prisoner—it was error for the trial court to direct a verdict of guilty, the question was one for the jury to determine. 42 Southeastern Rep. (North Carolina, Judge Furches) 609.

Injuries to Servant—Release
A mine owner failed to prevent ventilation in conformity to the statutory requirements. An explosion occurred by reason of such negligence and the concurring negligence of a fellow servant, going into a gaseous chamber with an open lamp, whereby a miner between 40 and 45 years of age, in good health, and a strong working man was killed. The corporation recognized his liability, and in a spirit of munificence settled with the miner's family for \$125. In suit subsequently brought by his administrator it was held that the settlement of \$125 was so shockingly inadequate that the release would be set aside. 70 Southwestern Rep. (Tennessee, Judge Wilkes) 1.

Carrying Deadly Weapons—Exemption of Public Officer
A law exempts "a peace officer or a policeman" from the prohibition of carrying deadly weapons. Held, that as a policeman is a peace officer only within his bailiwick or when discharging official duties beyond it, the exemption did not protect from criminal prosecution a policeman of Ft. Worth who carried a pistol to San Antonio, though he pretended to be acting as a detective, searching for property stolen from Ft. Worth. 70 Southwestern Rep. (Texas, Judge Fenderson) 23.

Assault With Intent to Rob—When Committed
Accused entered a car where the person to be robbed was seated, told him that someone wanted to see him on the platform, and caught him by the arm and pushed him to the platform, where a confederate thrust his hand into the person's pocket, after having cut the buttons from his overcoat. At the same time the accused attempted to run his hand into the

person's pants pocket. Others interfered and prevented further violence. Held, that the offense of assault with intent to rob was committed. School Trustee—Contract With Wife

A contract made with his wife by one member of a board of school trustees employing her to teach in the school over which the board has supervision, is contrary to public policy and is void by the terms of the statute; the husband being peculiarly interested in the contract. Payment of her salary under such a void contract may be enjoined as an action commenced by any taxpayer of the school district. 70 Pacific Rep. (Idaho, Judge Quiles) 401.

Titles
"Certainly the courts cannot abate a man as a nuisance because some one gives him, or he gives himself, a title." Judge Clark, in Sate vs. McKnight, 42 Southeastern Rep. (N. C.) 582.

Prince of Pilsen
The setting of the first act of "The Prince of Pilsen," Pixley & Lunders' latest and most successful musical comedy is laid in the court yard of the Hotel International at Nice, France. The hotel is on an eminence overlooking the sea. To the stage right, in the background winds in and out among the foothills of the Alpes Maritimes, the famous Corniche road, one of the great highways which owes its origin to the military genius of Julius Caesar. In the direct background, looking off and down, is the Mediterranean, which is at the same time the despair and the delight of all artists, for the color when transferred to canvas is never the same beautiful blue. In the distance, far to the stage left, nestled down by the sea, is one of the handsome villas for which that portion of the Riviera is noted, which, as dusk comes on, looks like one of the small lighthouses which guide the mariner in safety to the port. The costume is as handsome and picturesque as the scenery and the company is in strict keeping with both, for it is said to be the largest organization in this kind of entertainment that has ever toured the country, but as "The Prince of Pilsen" is shortly to go on Broadway for an extended run the original organization is being kept intact.

Child Eats Strychnine.
Rufus Carris, Jr., 2 years old, climbed on a pantry shelf at his home near Keats, Ia., and not finding either fly paper or concentrated lye at hand, had to content himself with a dozen two-grain tablets of strychnine, toppling off with a bite out of the lid of the box.

Navigation on the Yukon.
When free from ice the Yukon river is navigable for large steamers, 1,965 miles, a distance more than twice as great as that from Chicago to New Orleans.

London Paper Seized in Turkey.
Orders have been given at Constantinople for the seizure of all copies of the London Daily Mail for September 11, which contain a reproduction of a Parisian caricature of the Sultan.

Soap in France and England.
The average French person uses six pounds of soap a year; the average English person uses ten pounds.

There's Time Yet.
Out in the wild west, scientific explorers have discovered fossils of a number of three-toed horses. As yet no remains of prehistoric automobiles have been found, but they may yet be unearthed.—Buffalo Courier.

Lunacy on the Increase.
Since 1868 the number of lunatics in Scotland has increased by 130 per cent, while the population increase has been only 49 per cent.

Honor Victims of Ignorance.
The Peabody Historical Society, of Peabody, Mass., has just dedicated the monument and tablet to the memory of John Proctor, a victim of the witchcraft persecutions in Salem in 1692.

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Men and Women in Janesville and surrounding towns as local agents. \$50.00 weekly easily made. Pleasant permanent work. Call on or address

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WE will refill with Gunther's candy free, every ten pin box purchased of us the past two weeks. For box 30 C. If we will refill free and also pay \$1 for same. Bring in your boxes to Helms' Drug store.

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LADIES to work for us on sewing machine at home. No extra charges. Any distance. Good wages. Stamped envelopes for particulars. Arnold's Co. Operative Sewing Co., 30 East, Boston.

WANTED—Reliable person in each district to manage business for old house. Salary \$15 weekly. Expenses advanced. Permanent position. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Manager, 312 Canton Bldg., Chicago.

FOR SALE.
ROCK COUNTY MAPS or map books, \$1 each at the Gazette office.

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Old fashioned sofa, five feet long. Address A. Gazette.

FOR SALE at 611 Milton avenue, an organ, gas range, bedroom set and other furniture. Mrs. O. P. Hutton.

FOR SALE—25 overcoat. Too small for owner. Worn but little. Price \$8. Inquire tonight at 7 o'clock. Clerk at Hotel Myers.

FOR SALE or will exchange for Janesville real estate, fine residence in Oak Park, Ill. Inquire E. L. Clemens, 411 Hayes Block.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A house at 209 Jackson street. Inquire of Wm. Rose.

FOR SALE—To close out remainder of Rock county maps and map books they are being sold at \$1 for choice at Gazette office. Big bargain.

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FOR SALE—Heavy winter weight wool sweaters at half price. Lewis Knitting Co.

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FOR RENT—8 room house at 53 Locust St. Inquire 120 Lincoln St.

FOR RENT—Seven room house at end of the street car line. City and soft water. Inquire 13 Forest Park Blvd.

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FOR RENT—Small five room house 163 South Academy street.

FOR RENT—Upper flat. Inquire 267 South Academy street.

FOR RENT—Seven room house at No. 3 Alder street. Inquire J. J. Hall, 251 Prospect avenue.

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HORSES wintered at the Beckleton farm; individual style, water bars, grain and careful attention. George Woodruff, administrator.

CLARK—Trance medium. Readings on all affairs. Call between 9 a. m. and 9 p. m. at 161 S. Jackson street. Price, 50c.

LOST—Lady's gold watch on Lion or Cento Finder return to this office and receive reward.

LOST—Bower City bank book. Finder please return to this office.

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LOST—On Thursday evening between Myers Opera house and the Waverly flats, a man in fur box. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to this office.

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And Useful Things Temptingly Priced.

Come and see a store full of Christmas Gifts and things that are handy every day.

Children's Trunks 25c to a \$1.00. Drums, 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Games, 5c to a dollar.

Picture Frames

25c to 50c.

Shopping now is comfortable. Later on the rush.

RIDER'S

108 West Milwaukee Street.

Home Made....

Candies

Made Daily

Our Bitter Sweets are the best on the market.

Try Them.
BONAHOOM & BACCASH.
Hayes Building Janesville

A. O. U. W.

Members Indorse The

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5 Cent

Cigars.

THE Janesville Stamp & Stencil Co...

Has purchased the STAMP & STENCIL business of H. F. Clement. All orders left with L. D. Barker or M. H. Bradley will receive prompt attention

Janesville Stamp & Stencil Company,
14 East Milwaukee Street.

NEW HACK LINE

We have started a City Hack Line and will meet all trains day or night. All calls will receive prompt attention. We hope for a share of public patronage.

Phone J. Crall & Son Janesville

Archie Reid & Co.

More Sample Cloaks

In this week, another line of Cloaks which we offer at our well known sample prices, which means a saving of One Third. This line includes a good showing of Velours in....

MONTE CARLO..

AND—

BLOUSE EFFECTS.

Judging

BANK EXAMINER AFTER LEAGUE

STATE BANK EXAMINER BURGH
AFTER M'FARLAND.

LEAGUE CONTRARY TO LAWS

Is Agent For An Unauthorized Loan
and Investment Com-
pany.

The League of Equity, formerly the League of Educators is in trouble with the state bank examiner and in consequence Elliott McFarland, the agent of the League in this city, is in the clutches of the law.

Saturday McFarland, the state bank examiner, visited this city and made a complaint against McFarland charging him with being the agent of an unauthorized loan and investment company, which was conducted contrary to the laws of the state of Wisconsin.

A warrant was issued for the arrest of McFarland and he was arrested and brought before Judge Fife this morning by Under-Sheriff Cochran.

McFarland entered a plea of not guilty and his examination was set for December 10. Bail in the sum of \$200 was demanded by the Judge for his appearance in court at that time and was furnished by his mother.

According to all accounts the League of Equity or Educators is a scheme whereby large returns are paid on small investments, which the government has reason to believe is on a par with numerous other "get rich quick" schemes started in different parts of the country.

The League was first started in this city in August and a number of people anxious to get large returns from their savings, joined. Since that time the membership has increased until there are between fifty and sixty members in this city.

On September 24, the mail directed to the headquarters of the League in Chicago, containing the monthly dues of the members was stopped by Post Master Coyne, of that city acting under instructions from Washington and returned to senders, the letters being stamped fraudulent. The name of the company was then changed from the League of Educators to the League of Equity and a suit started against Postmaster Coyne for \$1,000, 000 damages for stopping their mail.

The papers in this action were served about Nov. 20. Franklin Davis and Martin Baxman, of Chicago, who conduct the business of the League from offices in the Women's Temple, claim the "fraud order" which applied to all mail addressed to the concern was unjustly given.

The noted suit that has not been settled, but the State of Wisconsin has laws regarding companies of this character which State Bank Examiner Burgh thinks are being violated. The law is very strict in regard to investment companies and other concerns operating without the authority of the state bank examiner and whether it is a fraudulent concern or not it certainly has been operated contrary to the laws of the state.

DISPUTE OVER A PAIR OF \$3 SHOES

John Arkinson is Involved in Suit
in Which Costs Will Exceed
Claim.

Because John Arkinson bought a pair of shoes of Patrick J. Holland, but, as the latter alleges, did not pay for them according to agreement, the exact status of their relations will be determined in Justice Reader's court a week from today. The case was called this morning, pleadings entered, and an answer filed by the defendant. Mr. Holland claims that Arkinson gave him his name as Hanson, and made various misrepresentations. Arkinson admits an indebtedness of three dollars for the shoes, but denies the other allegations.

Hayes Bros. are garnished in the suit and made their statement this morning. They owe the defendant \$3.22, but say that his wages were assigned to his mother in payment of a board bill.

As the entire amount of the claim is only three dollars, and the costs mount up so rapidly, both parties to the action stand in good way to be losers, whatever the outcome.

REPURCHASES INDEPENDENT

R. D. Hogan Has Again Taken Control Of The Local Trades Journal.

Robert D. Hogan, the former proprietor of the Janesville Independent, and for some time past of the Beloit Labor Journal, has decided to again cast his lot in the Bower City. He has repurchased the Independent, and will assume control immediately. As formerly the paper will stand as the weekly exponent of the organized laborers of the city, and will make the same prominent feature of unionism that it has in the past.

Removal Sale
The Chicago store will move to northern part of state after Christmas and will at once commence a closing out sale. Great reductions will be made rather than ship the goods. Take advantage of this sale to buy holiday gifts.

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Delivery boy wanted. Grubb. Every afternoon this week ladies will be admitted to the roller ring free of charge. This offer is most liberal on the part of the management.

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Finest goods at a cheap price at the Stevens sale. Everything marked in plain figures. Lowell Co.

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TWILIGHT CLUB MAKES A VISIT

GO TO MADISON AS GUESTS THIS
EVENING.

JUDGE FIFIELD IS THE LEADER

Will Discuss Municipal Government
With Six O'clock Club—Re-
turn By Special Train.

Seventy-eight members of the Twilight club will leave on the four twenty-five train, Milwaukee road, this afternoon, for Madison. They will be the guests of the Six O'clock Club in that city, and will take charge of the meeting. Judge Charles L. Fife will be the leader, and his subject will be municipal government.

Speech of Greeting
Judge Cassoday of Madison, chief justice of the supreme court, formerly of this city will deliver the address of welcome. Judge Fife will respond, taking charge of the meeting which will be held in Kogley's hall. The party will return by a special car arriving at about midnight.

Speakers and Subjects
Contrary to the custom of the local club, the speakers who will take the sub-topics, have already been announced. The list follows:

The People's Representatives—Supt. A. J. Hutton.

Public Franchises—T. S. Nolan. Schools and Libraries—A. E. Matheson.

Taxation and Revenue—T. O. Howe. Attitude Toward Business Interests.—E. C. Bailey.

Rings and Pulls.—W. F. Carle. Municipal Esthetics.—Rev. R. C. Denison.

JUNIOR MEETING

LARGELY ATTENDED

Over Two Hundred Children Enjoy A
Missionary Service at the
Baptist Church.

There was a large rally of the Junior Christian Endeavor societies and Epworth Leagues at the Baptist church yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, the five Junior societies of the city uniting in a missionary service. About 225 children were present and the greatest interest was manifested in the meeting.

Miss Clara Shurtliff, leader of the Baptist Juniors, presided, and gave a brief and entertaining talk on the work of the society. The children also enjoyed an interesting talk on missions by Miss Ethel Fisher, city superintendent of Junior work. In addition to these talks there was an excellent program of recitations and music by the children themselves, each society being well represented. These union services for the little folks are held once every two months at the different churches in rotation.

DID NOT SUCCEED IN FORMING UNION

Small Attendance of Bartenders Made
It Impossible to Take Decisive
Action Yesterday.

Only a half dozen bartenders gathered in the Trades Council hall on Sunday afternoon to talk over the question of the organization of a union. On account of the slim attendance the meeting was postponed for one week. R. D. Hogan was present to advocate the cause of the union. The bartenders feel that there are certain rights, especially in regard to prolonged hours of work, which could be better preserved by an organization. This need will be felt more keenly, they believe, after the Inter-urban is in operation. Others of the bartenders are skeptical of the success of those who wish to organize, and say that they already have all the privileges they wish.

FUTURE EVENTS

Dancing school social at Central hall this evening.

Members of the Twilight club are entertained at Madison this evening. Organization of the Camp of Sons of Veterans at Post hall this evening at 8 o'clock.

Business meeting and social of the Epworth League of the First, M. E. church at the parsonage tomorrow evening.

Business meeting and social of the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church at the home of Miss Nellie Butts, 160 Milton avenue, tomorrow evening.

Special evangelistic services at the Baptist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Richard M. Vaughan, tomorrow evening. Topic, Obedience.

Annual masquerade under the auspices of the Painters' union at Assembly hall tomorrow evening.

Polo match between the Janesville City team and the Horlicks of Racine at the rink on Wednesday evening.

Caledonian entertainment and social in honor of St. Andrew in the Caledonian rooms, Thursday evening, December 11.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT
Knights of Columbus at West Side Odd Fellows hall.

Rock River at East Side Odd Fellows hall.

Rock River Hive No. 71. Ladies of the Macenebes at East Side Odd Fellows hall.

Journeyman Barbers' union at Assembly hall.

Painters, Paperhangers and Decorators' union at Assembly hall.

Two Birds
A little bird sat on a limb,
And he was violently singing;
There was another little bird,
That wasn't doing anything.

Clearing sale on every cloak in stock.
Bort, Bailey & Co.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

Mrs. E. W. Lowell received a letter Saturday from her daughter, Mrs. C. V. Hibbard stating that she had landed at Yokohama, Japan, Nov. 7th and would leave by rail for Tokyo. The passage across was very rough and was not at all enjoyable.

L. C. O'Brien, of Cartwright, Wis., was a visitor in this city over Sunday and attended to business matters.

C. W. Blay has returned from Evansville where he has been working for some time.

Mrs. C. C. MacLean is suffering from a severe attack of rheumatism and has been confined to her home, 1 Milton avenue for the past week.

Dry Goods Store Burned: A fire at Monroe, Wis., Saturday night destroyed the large dry goods store belonging to J. Bolander. The building was a total loss and the surrounding buildings were damaged considerably. The store was a two-story brick building and was one of the largest in the city. The fire is supposed to have caught from the furnace in the basement in which soft coal was being burned. The supposition is that the soft coal generated gas, blowing the furnace door open and throwing the coals out into the basement.

Mrs. Thomas Erickson returned on Saturday evening from Chicago where she has been undergoing treatment for some time past at the Mercy hospital. She has been greatly benefited by the treatment and is now almost recovered.

Miss Harriette Holt, who has been spending her Thanksgiving vacation in this city, the guest of Miss Anna Valentine, returned to Iowa City, Ia., this afternoon to resume her duties in the University of Iowa.

MISS ATWOOD HAS
GONE TO FLORIDA

Will Spend the Winter in De Funiac
Springs at the Home of
James Sherman.

Miss Abbie Atwood left this city this morning at 7:30 o'clock and at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, she is in company with Mr. and Mrs. James Sherman and their little grand daughter, Helen Sherman, left Chicago for De Funiac Springs, Fla., where they will spend the winter. Miss Atwood expects to be absent from home about six months.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman have their winter home in De Funiac Springs and each winter they take with them a private governess for their daughter in order that her education may not suffer by her absence from the north. For two winters past the position was filled by Mrs. Hofreiter, of De Funiac Springs, formerly Miss Nettie Kent of this city.

This year Mr. and Mrs. Sherman have secured Miss Atwood, who is to be congratulated inasmuch as the position is accompanied by the advantages of travel and the privileges of being a guest in a beautiful Southern home. Miss Atwood is one of Janesville's most successful and popular teachers and is eminently qualified for her new position. Her place as teacher in the first grade of the Douglas school has been taken by Miss Margaret Murphy.

WHAT PEOPLE ARE DOING

Rebekahs Meet: America Rebekah Social club will meet at East Side Odd Fellows hall Wednesday, Dec. 3d, at which time their annual supper will be served.

For "The Prince of Pilsen": Mason Peters, "ahead of," "The Prince of Pilsen," which plays in this city next week, was in the city today making preliminary arrangements for that attraction.

Sons of Veterans: On Monday, December 1st, the mustering officer from Madison will be here to muster a camp of the Sons of Veterans. All that signed the application are requested to be present and all others that wish to join. At G. A. R. Hall at 3 p. m. J. L. BEAR, Commander W. H. Sargent Post, No. 20, G. A. R.

Foreign Mission Meets: The Woman's Foreign Mission Circle of Court St. M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Lucy Strang, 107 Madison street on Wednesday of this week at 2:45 in the afternoon, prompt. Days are short. Quotations concerning Japan or Corea. A full attendance is especially desired.

Christian Endeavor Social: Members of the Christian Endeavor society will hold a social at the home of Miss Nellie Butts, 160 Milton avenue, tomorrow evening. The social will be preceded by a business meeting and officers will be elected for the coming six months. Friends of the society are cordially invited to be present.

For Epworth Leaguers: The parsonage of the First M. E. church tomorrow evening, the semi-annual business meeting and election of officers will be held by the Epworth League. The business meeting will be followed by a social and friends of the society are cordially invited. Light refreshments will be served.

Label League Dance: The Woman's Union Label League gave an enjoyable reception and dancing party at Assembly hall, Saturday evening and fully 150 couples were present. The early part of the evening was devoted to card playing and afterwards dancing was indulged in. Baldwin and Rehfeld's orchestra furnished the music for the entertainment which broke up about midnight. The affair was in charge of Mesdames Gibbs and Schultz.

Fifth Anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Baldwin celebrated their fifth wedding anniversary at their home on North Blue street on Saturday evening. A small party of intimate friends were present and a splendid luncheon was served at 12 o'clock. All present enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent.

Alderman H. S. Gilkey went to Minneapolis yesterday to secure a home. He did not intend to move his family until spring, but the sale of his home made it necessary for him to find a location at once.

G. M. DOPP HURT IN ANOTHER WRECK

TRAIN RAN INTO AN OPEN SWITCH
AT LYTLES.

INJURED MAN CONTINUES RUN

Janesville Engineer Meets With Two
Accidents Within a Few Weeks
—Is Badly Bruised.

George M. Dopp, of 157 Terrace St., locomotive engineer on the Wisconsin Division of the Chicago & Northwestern road, is off duty temporarily owing to severe injuries which he received in a wreck last Friday afternoon about 12:30 o'clock. This is the second time within the past few weeks that Mr. Dopp has taken an enforced vacation, he having crashed his hand in a railroad accident about a month ago.

His Injuries
Mr. Dopp is badly shaken up as a result of Friday's wreck. His face is bruised, cut and badly swollen and his left arm and shoulder were so severely wrenched he has no use of them. All the muscles in his body are lame and sore as the result of the jar which he received by jumping from his engine but no bones were broken and although he will probably be laid up for some little time, Mr. Dopp is congratulating himself on his fortunate escape.

Switch Left Open
The accident occurred at Lytles, Wis., a station six miles west of La Crosse. Engineer Dopp's train, a passenger bound from Winona to Baraboo ran into an open switch, the engine crashing into a work train. Seeing the danger Mr. Dopp and his fireman both jumped, thus doubtless saving themselves from more serious injuries. Several men on the work train were badly injured and were taken to La Crosse for medical care.

In spite of his injuries, Mr. Dopp ran his train to Baraboo, a distance of one hundred miles, his fireman accompanying him only as far as La Crosse. At Baraboo he laid off and the next day he came home, arriving in the city Saturday night.

New Law Firm: Hon. John Winans and H. L. Maxfield have entered into a partnership for the practice of law. The new firm will have the offices so long occupied by Mr. Winans over Hall, Sayles & Fife's store. Mr. Winans is too well known to need any introduction to the public. His partner, H. L. Maxfield is a Rock county boy and is building up an enviable reputation as a lawyer of ability.



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Will Soon Be Here.**

Get out that last years
Overcoat and we will re-
model it like new.

Carl Brockhaus,
52 E. Milwaukee St. New 'Phone 312
Good collector and dresser

BANK CLERK DIES DEFENDING CASH

DEAD HERO BUT 16 YEARS OLD

Boy Watchman Discovers the Intruders and Enters into a Desperate Conflict With the Murderers, Emptying Two Revolvers Before He Falls.

Westville, Ind., Dec. 1.—During a heroic battle in defense of the cash of the Westville State bank Wesley Reynolds was shot through the heart shortly before daylight Sunday morning by a member of a gang of robbers. Previous to receiving his death wound he had been shot through the head and again through the neck. Although one of the bullets causing these wounds shattered his chin, one tearing a big hole through to the base of the brain, while the other passed clear through his body, the faithful bank clerk fought on until he had emptied two revolvers in a vain effort to kill one or more of his four assailants. His bravery prevented the looting of the bank.

Pursue Desperadoes.
The robbers, one believed to be badly wounded, fled from the scene of death. A big posse pursued them all day and a lynching is sure to result if the fugitives are captured. The citizens have offered a reward of \$1,000 for the arrest of the murderers.

Reynolds was only 16 years old. Aside from being a trusted clerk he acted in the capacity of watchman, sleeping in the bank at night, with three revolvers within reach. Judging from appearances, Reynolds was awakened by a crash at a rear window of the bank, near which he was sleeping. A beer keg was found in the place, and it is the theory of the police that the robbers hurled it through the window in an effort to gain entrance to the bank, the thieves evidently not knowing the bank had an occupant at night.

Clerk Opens Fire.

The sound of crashing glass, broken pieces of which strewn the floor when the murder was discovered, brought young Reynolds to the rescue of his employer's funds. Apparently two of the robbers crept in through the shattered window and the moment Reynolds could get a glimpse of a moving figure he opened fire.

Bullet holes in the furnishings show that Reynolds must have fired at one robber who took refuge behind a counter. While he was shooting at this man the other robber crept along the west wall of the bank and opened fire on Reynolds from the rear. The fire from behind diverted the clerk's attention an instant and the man behind the counter, who must have been close to him, brought his revolver into action. Which man inflicted the wound that Reynolds received is not known, but it is certain the heroic guard received all his injuries while facing his foes.

Gets Death Wound.

Reynolds emptied two revolvers, but received his fatal wound before he could discharge his third weapon, which was found in his right hand when E. S. Smith, the proprietor of the bank, entered the place at 7:15 o'clock. Ten empty cartridges were found on the floor where one of the robbers must have stood, these showing that the robber emptied and reloaded his revolver at least twice during the battle. The empty shells were of 44 caliber, much larger than those in Reynolds' weapon.

Robbers Disappear.

One of the bullets that struck Reynolds passed through his chin and lodged at the base of the brain. Another went into his neck and, turning downward, passed out of his body between his shoulder blades. The third bullet struck him in the heart and probably killed him instantly.

Their victim dead, the robbers hurried from the bank to Charles Herold's barn, where they stole a horse and surrey and prepared to leave town. After the tragedy was discovered some of the townspeople remembered having heard the sounds of a galloping horse on the road leading out of town toward the south.

SAILORS IN A FATAL SCUFFLE

Three Fooling on Deck Fall Into Hold, One Being Killed.

Milwaukee, Dec. 1.—Patrick Downey of Gravesend, England, was instantly killed in a scuffle on board the steamer Maryland at Escanaba. George Beletor of Grand Rapids, Mich., had his collar bone broken and Joseph Malarkey of Carnegie, Pa., got a serious scalp wound. The three men were having a friendly encounter on the deck and fell into the hold.

Czar to Visit Pope.

Rome, Dec. 1.—The pope gave an audience to the Grand Duke Sergius, who announced the czar's intention to visit Rome. The pope said he anticipated with great pleasure making the personal acquaintance of the emperor of Russia.

Women Tire of Life.

Akron, O., Dec. 1.—Mrs. Jeannette Hunter, aged 70, and an unknown woman guest attempted to commit suicide. Mrs. Hunter is dead and the unknown woman is dying. Mrs. Hunter lived alone in a little cottage in East Akron.

Blow Up Kentucky Bank.

Cairo, Ill., Dec. 1.—The First National bank of Wickliffe, Ky., was blown up by a gang of robbers. While the vault was destroyed and the building considerably damaged, the robbers only secured \$17.

That Wedding
Speaking of marriage reminds one of the bridal orange blossoms, and of how the custom of wearing it originated. The following is an ancient Moorish tradition: A Moorish king sent a fine orange tree in magnificent blossom to a Spanish monarch. Never before had such a wonderful plant bloomed in the royal gardens. Everyone wanted a slip of it, but in vain; the slips were too precious. At last one day a spray of the glossy leaves and beautiful blossoms was accidentally broken off, and the gardener gave it to his pretty daughter, who was betrothed to a poor man. The girl had no dowry, and accordingly her engagement seemed a hopeless affair. Still she was not too out of heart to take delight in enlivening her charms, so she fastened the spray of orange blossoms in her hair. Just then a foreign ambassador was walking in the garden, and noting the lovely spray of flowers and leaves in the girl's dusky tresses, he desired to have it. In exchange for her flowers he gave her a sum of money sufficient for her dowry, and soon afterward the marriage was celebrated. Since then the blossom has been in such favor for bridal wreaths that it has almost ousted the bridal rose—its Greek rival—from popularity.

New Wisconsin Topographic Maps
The topographic branch of the United States Geological Survey has now in press and will shortly issue a new and accurate topographic map of portions of Sauk, Columbia and Adams counties, Wisconsin, on either side of the Wisconsin river between Kilbourn and Portage. The map is to be known as that of the Briggsville quadrangle, and will be on a scale of about one inch to the mile. It will show all county, township and section boundaries, all railroads, highways, and drainage features, and indicate the locations of dwellings in country districts. Contour lines will show elevations above sea level and the shapes of the hills and valleys. The map will be uniform in size and scale with government maps of other portions of the state already issued or to be published. The Geological Survey has also reprinted its topographic map of part of the Lake Michigan shore known as the Racine sheet, which includes the cities of Racine and Kenosha and about ten miles of the country to the west. It is on the same scale as that of the Briggsville quadrangle, and forms an exceptionally accurate map of the region.

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Points

Early frost catches the budding genius.

Dress does not make the woman, but it often breaks the husband.

The world doesn't pause to examine a man's tracks after he gets there.

"Our most exclusive circles are silver dollars," wrote the rural editor.

Some men never heard a procession until they enact the star role of a funeral.

Some people have a mania for saying smart things that make other people smart.

Lawyers are men who work with a will, and doctors often go ahead and provide the way.

Marriage is a lottery in which the blanks are husbands—so says a wife who takes in washing.

When the young man asks the timid maid if she will marry him it is up to her to declare that she will not.—New York Evening Sun.

Quite a Model Locality

The exultant passenger in the battered silk hat was loudly inveighing against things in general and the places he happened to visit in particular.

All at once a quiet and sedate old gentleman, who had up until then, sat silently in one corner, remarked:

"How would you like to live in a place where no one drinks intoxicating liquor, or even smokes a cigar?"

"It would be excellent," replied the grumbler.

"And where everyone goes to church on Sundays?"

"That would be a delightful place."

"And where no one steals, or forges, or cheats?"

"But such a place is impossible. Tell me where there is such a place?"

"You will find it in Sing Sing prison," was the quiet reply, and the grumbler was silent for the remainder of the journey.—New York Times.

Diamonds in Transvaal.

Johannesburg, Dec. 1.—A diamond discovery which is probably the most important since that at Kimberley, has been made at Elandsfontein. Seven diamonds were found in three shallow holes.

Artist Slayer Is Sentenced.

Rouen, France, Dec. 1.—Synden, the French artist, who shot and killed M. David, the stock broker of Paris on the sea front of Etretat, was sentenced to ten years' penal servitude.

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SOPHOMORE CLASS TO GIVE A BANQUET

Under Classmen Follow Example of Seniors and Juniors in Honoring Foot Ball Team.

Although the football season for this year is over, football interest has not yet died out at the High school. It has simply taken a new form and instead of expressing itself in class songs and inspiring yells to be hurled at the teams from the side lines and cheer them on to victory it is now manifesting itself in preparations for receptions to be given in honor of the teams.

Class Social Events
Nearly in the season the Seniors, winners of the Denison Cup, decided that whether victory or defeat awaited their team on the gridiron, the members should be feasted and toasted at a banquet, reception and dance which should eclipse all former social events in High School life. New Impetus was given this determination to excel all former attempts by the success of the Senior team in winning the school championship and the Denison cup.

Shortly afterwards the members of the Junior class held a meeting and decided to give a dancing party in honor of the Junior class team and committees were appointed to take charge of the arrangements.

For The Sophomore Team
In this general move for the honoring of the class teams, the Sophomore eleven, which made such a sturdy fight for the championship and almost played the Seniors to a standstill, is not to be forgotten. Members of the Sophomore class are not inclined to look upon the loss of the cup as a defeat and they firmly believe that their team shares first honors with the Seniors.

Banquet in Gymnasium
Consequently high honors are to be paid the members of this team and a reception and banquet is to be given for them by the class. The date has not been definitely decided upon but the banquet will be given in the High School gymnasium. Besides the football team the guests of honor will be the Rev. and Mrs. Robert C. Denison, Supt. and Mrs. H. C. Buell, Prof. William Norris, the football coach, and one of the lady teachers. The banquet will be followed by a program of toasts.

Committee Appointed
Chester Morse, the president of the Sophomore class, has appointed the general committee of arrangements and this committee will appoint the sub-committees and take entire charge. The committee appointed by President Morse includes John Galbraith, George Caldwell, Lucy Fox, Isabelle Smith and Ethel Fitch.

To Join Paraguayan Cabinet.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 1.—Dr. Sena, who has been the Paraguayan Minister here, has left for Asuncion to take the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in the new cabinet.

Carnegie Improves.

London, Dec. 1.—Andrew Carnegie, who has been lying ill here for the past fortnight, was able to get up Sunday for the first time.

The Law

Of health has no uniform guardians of its peace. If it had there would be arrests innumerable in every restaurant every day of the year. Both in the quantity and quality of the food they eat and in the manner of its consumption men and women sin each day against the laws of health.

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52 inch all wool black Cheviot, extra good quality; regular price \$1.00, this sale only..... 50c

52 inch all wool wool Flannel, assortment of shades, good quality reg. price \$1 this sale..... 59c

52 inch all wool Broadcloths; assortment of shades, extra fine cheap at \$1.50; this sale..... 89c

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Silks at Less Than Wholesale Prices. Here is Your Chance to Buy What You Are Looking For at Special Prices.

24 inch China Silk in all colors and black; regular 50c values. 35c this sale.....

21 inch Black Peau de Sol, good, heavy quality, extra ripe, regular price is \$1.00, this sale at 69c only.....

21 inch Black Satin Duchess; our regular \$1.25 value, this sale 75c the yard.....

19 inch Imported Silk Waistings, beautiful line of exclusive; reg. 69c \$1.25 values, for.....

21 inch Black Peau de Sol, very heavy and fine, sold everywhere 75c at \$1.25; this sale only.....

24 inch Crepe de Chin in all the evening shades and black, sold everywhere at \$1.00, this sale per yard..... 69c

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11-4 size all wool Blankets, fancy borders, extra good quality, cheap at \$6, this sale..... \$4.00

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11-4 white cotton Blankets; nice fine quality, cheap at \$1.25, this sale only..... 79c

10-4 cotton Blankets, fancy borders good quality, cheap at 75c, 45c this sale only.....

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Misses' Jersey ribbed, fleece lined Vests and Pants, good heavy quality, regular 25c, value, this 18c sale.....

Ladies' Underwear.

Ladies' Combination Suits, well made, fleece lined, special 48c for this sale.....

Ladies' Onella Combination Suits, very heavy, good fleece; special this sale..... \$1.15

Ladies' Jersey ribbed, fleece lined Vests and Pants, well made, these goods always sell at 35c; this sale..... 20c

Ladies' natural wool Vests and Pants, very heavy, well made, 45c cheap at 75c, this sale only.....

Ladies' Combination Suits, Onella make, good quality, special, 75c special this sale.....

Ladies' Sterling Union Suits in all wool and silk and wool \$3.00 for this sale only.....

Men's Underwear.

Men's Jersey ribbed, fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, regular 35c price 50c; this sale.....

Men's natural wool Shirts and Drawers, very heavy, this underwear is cheap at \$1.25; this 75c sale only.....

Men's wool, fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, heavy quality, fancy colors, cheap at 69c; this 39c sale only.....

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CONSUM, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY

In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House in the city of Janesville, in said County, on the first Tuesday of May, A. D. 1903, being May 5th, 1903, at 9 o'clock A. M., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted.

All claims against the estate of James, late of the city of Janesville in said county, deceased.

All claims must be presented for allowance to said Court at the Court House in the city of Janesville, in said County, on or before the 15th day of April, A. D. 1903, or be barred.

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By the Court,

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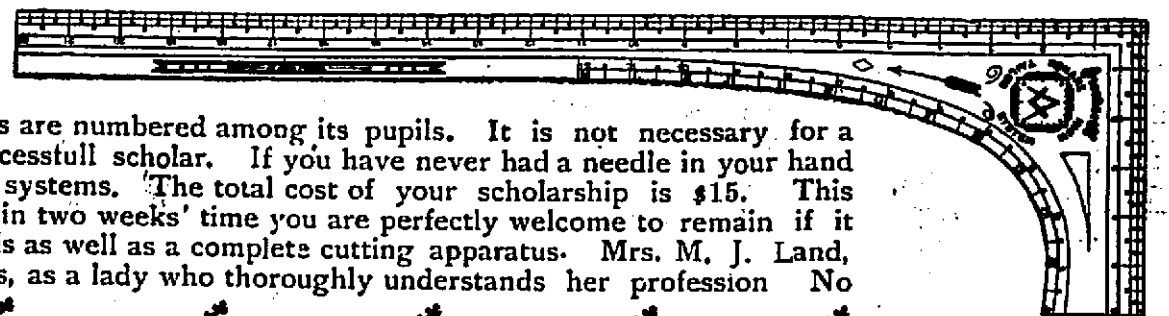
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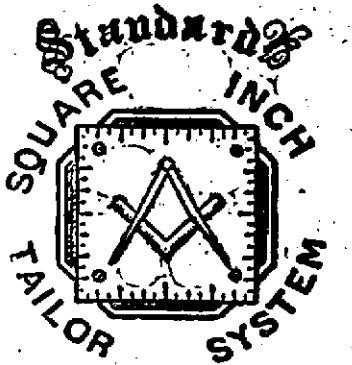


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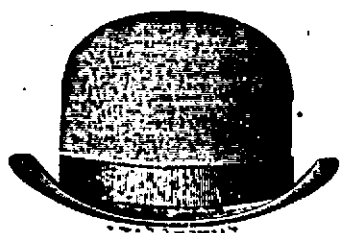
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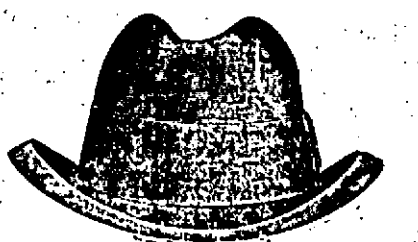
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